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DAILY TRIBUNE.

TUESDAY..................FEBRUARY 12.

Financial Condition of the Galena and Chicago Union Railroad.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEW YORK DAILY TIMES:

The Northern line of the Galena and Chicago Union Railroad runs from Chicago to Freeport, 121 miles, connecting there with the Illinois Central, 67 miles to Dunleith. At Belvadiere, 78 miles from Chicago, it connects with the Beloit Branch, now drawing a large business from Janesville and Wisconsin. At the Junction 30 miles from Chicago, to which point a double track is in process of construction, the Dixon and Iowa branch line connects running 106 miles to the Mississippi, at Fulton. The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad also connects at this point, running its own cars and machinery on the Galena Road to Chicago. Ten miles west of Chicago, what was formerly the St. Charles Air Line (recently bought by the Galena Road for $340,000)connects with the main track, and runs 10 miles to depot grounds upon the south branch of Chicago River, about two miles from the business portion of the city.

At Chicago the Company's chief depot grounds are upon the main branch of the river, less than one-quarter of a mile from the lake, where they have upwards of 1,000 feet of valuable water frontage. Upon these grounds are erected two extensive freight depots and a fine grain-house, capable of stowing 400,000 bushels. Two blocks west of this is the passenger-building, which is small and inconvenient. West of this again, across the north branch of Chicago River, the Company have other grounds, for the reception of lumber and coarse merchandise, and here the engine-house and machine-shop are located. The north branch is crossed by a drawbridge, which is so frequently open during the season of navigation as to be a cause of serious detention to trains and the general business of the road. These grounds, though valuable in themselves as property, are, from their detached position, (which increases expenses of depot service,) and inconvenient access across the bridge referred to, and through public streets, illy adapted for railroad purposes.

In consequence of the obstruction caused by long freight trains crossing the line of other principal thoroughfares, a strong feeling has been raised against the road continuing to use the street, and withal, there are doubts whether they have any right there, in consequence of legal informality in originally laying out the street through which they run. Should they be driven out, the freight, passenger and grain buildings will prove a heavy loss, and they must resort to the St. Charles depot on the south branch, thus losing the use of 10 miles completed double track, or place their depots on the west side of the north branch, at an inconvenient place for general business, and when water frontage can now be obtained at only a very high cost.

The track of the road from Chicago to Freeport is generally in good order and well ballasted, but many of the station buildings are inferior and too small for the business. Upon the first thirty miles great delay has been experienced the last summer from inadequate water stations.

The Dixon and Iowa line has about 50 miles ballasted and partly fenced, the remaining fifty-six miles being in the condition of a new road requiring considerable outlay for these matters. Excepting at the Junction and Dixon, the whole line is destitute of suitable station buildings. The Beloit branch, 20 miles is in good order, but also requires buildings. The rolling stock, generally, is in good condition, though some improvement might be made in their engines and passenger cars, both of which show marks of great wear. The result of my observations and inquiries do not justify the high encomiums that have been lavished lately upon its management. There is a want of discipline and head on the road that has already lead to serious evils, both in its internal economy, its connection with other roads, and the public at large, and may, if not corrected, by efficient superintendence and more far-seeing and liberal views generally, seriously damage the property.

Its financial management seems also open to serious objection. Sometime last Spring, it appears, they negotiated to one of their own directors (who, since the failure of Messrs. Wadsworth & Sheldon, is understood to be the chief financial agent of the Company) $500,000 of 2nd Mortgage Bonds at 75 cents on the dollar, with an agreement not to issue any more until after the close of the year. This was done at a time when the stock was worth about 90 per cent., and it excited much comment among the friends of the road that this negotiation should have been so quietly and privately closed at such low rates without advertisement, it being a most unusual thing to sell Mortgage Bonds (both being at a discount) at less than the market value of the stock. A scrip dividend of 5 per cent. was declared last February, payable in a year, and to meet this scrip and the nominal cash dividend declared this February, an issue of 5,000 new shares have been made to the stockholders, thus showing the only really cash dividend paid by the road for eighteen months past to be that of 5 per cent. in August. On the top of this issue we have now a stock dividend of 12 per cent., making another new issue of 6,000 shares, or say 11,000 shares in all within three months. The policy of declaring this stock dividend now instead of at the of their fiscal year, (May 1st) when they could correctly ascertain their operating and other expenses, may well be doubted, unless the managers had ulterior views as to the effect that this nominal large dividend would have upon the price of its stock, thus making the first issue of 5,000 shares palatable to stockholders.

There has been a want of fairness, too, in the statement of earnings, they have instituted a comparison of receipts with last year without stating the additional number of miles in operation.

Much comment has lately been excited at Chicago by the apparent connection between the Galena road and what are there called Wild Cat Bankers, a disposition having been shown on the part of the Galena managers to circulate this illegitimate currency in opposition to the wishes of the community, and the course taken by the other leading roads. Whether this is a matter of taste or policy connected with their financial management (one of their leading Directors and financial agent, George Smith, being deeply interested in this currency,) it is equally impolitic and dangerous, the Galena road, like other corporations, being amenable to public opinion.

The earnings of the road, as furnished by report of June, 1855, and published statement since that date, foot up for 1854, $1,316,158; miles operated being 183, equals $7.100 per mile; for 1855, $2,252,601; miles operated being 231, equals $9.700 per mile, or an increase of 36 1-2 per cent., instead of 80 per cent. as has been stated by some of the papers. Owing to the absence of any reliable report of operating expenses it is impossible now to compare the net earnings per mile each year. I doubt, however, if the road is operated less than 40 per cent., although the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy road has been paying them the past year at the rate of $360,000 per annum for the use of 30 miles of track and depot service, or say $12,000 per mile, nearly all of which is nett profit to the Galena road.

The earnings have also been largely increased this year by the opening of the Illinois Central through to Galena and Dunleith, thus throwing a heavy traffic from the Upper Mississippi on the Galena road.

In estimating the future of the Galena road, we must take into account the effect that will be had upon it by the withdrawal of the business of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, who now have it in contemplation to build a line of their own to Chicago, unless they can make a new bargain for the use of the Galena track at a fair interest on what it would cost them to extend their road, which would amount to about $80,000 per annum.

The completion of the Chicago and Fond du Lac Road through to Janesville this Spring, will draw from the Galena a large business now received from Wisconsin by the Beloit branch, the former route being much the most direct. The opening of the Milwaukee Road through to the Mississippi will also draw from the Galena a good deal of up-river business that now comes *via* Dunleith and Galena.

These causes, which will operate almost immediately, may be compensated for by-and-by by the increase of local business along the Fulton line, which is now but sparsely settled, and by the extension of roads west into Iowa. It is to be hoped, however, that the Galena managers will not be led into the fatal error so common among railways, of embarrassing themselves by these extensions, but rather adhere to their legitimate business, trusting that the development of its local and what through traffic it can naturally control, will always enable it to pay fair cash dividends to stockholders after its present road is completed and construction account closed.

The cost of the Road, as appears from Report of June 6, 1855, stands thus:

Capital stock at that date		$4,334,800
Add, stock issued in part pay for St. Charles Air Line		100,000
Total		$4,434,800
New issue for dividends	$500,000	
Stock dividend of 12 per cent. just declared	532,000—	1,032,000
Total		[illegible]
Mortgage bonded debt, already issued and sold	[illegible]	
Bonds for St. Charles line	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total		[illegible]
Sum required by report of June 6, to complete line to Fulton	[illegible]	
Less, dividend certificates, paid by issue of stock, as above	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total		[illegible]

MILEAGE OF ROAD.

Chicago to Freeport	121
Beloit branch	20
Dixon line	106—247 miles,

being equal to $40,000 per mile. These figures show the road at a cost per mile equal to some of what have been called the most expensive roads in the country, and the Managers will make a great mistake if, by their continuous and unlimited issues of stock, in the way of dividends and bonuses, they increase the capital to such a point, that any diversion of business, such as almost all roads are liable to, will reduce their dividends below 10 per cent.

The results in other roads, where large and oft-repeated stock dividends have been made, are not such as to cause these issues to be looked upon with favor by the public generally.

SWITCHMAN.

....The Morris bridge, begins to assume some symptoms of its completion. The frame work of the first span is completed, and men are at work upon the remainder.—*Grundy (Ill.) Herald Feb.* 2.

Correspondence of the Missouri Democrat.

Fresh Views of the Lawrence Yankees.

Every one who has read the Republican of this city and the propaganda papers published in the Western counties, must be aware there is very little variety or originality displayed in their denunciations of the Free State men of Kansas. Abolitionists, d—d abolitionists, d—d Yankees, fanatics, negropholists, traitors, God-forsaken traitors, rebels, scoundrels, infernal scoundrels, nigger-stealers, and nigger-worshippers, complete the list of their abusive synonymes for—Northerners in Kansas. Any one who has never read these journals, by shaking the foregoing epithets among a moderate quantity of monysyllables, dissyllables and trisyllables, will form an accurate conception of their editorial articles. Be careful, however, not to throw in a single truth, and to mix with the nicknames a sufficient qantity of ungrammatical expressions.

I discovered, in returning from Kansas, what I never suspected before, that there is *some* originality in the opponents of the Free State party.

In walking from Independence towards Lexington, I entered a house where entertainment was to be had. While the negro was preparing dinner I had a conversation with the lady of the house—an elderly, rather stout, matronly looking person, with mildly-resolute, light-gray eyes—a perfect ideal of "fat, fair and forty" feminity. She was sitting by the fireside before a "reel," engaged in repairing clothing.

"How far have you come sir?" she asked.

"From Kansas."

"You come from Lawrence?" she inquired, looking steadily, mildly, suspiciously at me through her light silver spectacles. I saw that she expected me to say No; if she had been a younger lady, gallantry would have prompted me to do so; but her two hundred and fifty pounds avordupois, and forty years, kept me in the path of veracity.

"Yes, ma'am," I answered.

She looked surprised. "You're a Yankee, I presume? Going East?" she said.

"No, madam; I'm not a Yankee; I'm going home—to St. Louis."

"Oh! he's S. Q. G." Her expression said' this as emphatically as words could.

"Any news from there?" she continued.

"They were expecting a fight there," I rejoined, "about a week since, but it blowed over."

Her light-gray eyes kindled suddenly. "I've got a will of my own, and I'm grit straight through," they said for the fat, fair and forty lady.

"Well, I expect they'll get it, too, and more on it than they like," she said, "they'll get it hot and heavy before long—the nigger-theiving wooden-nutmeg makers."

"Whew-w!" I said under my breath, "I'll bet on you, old girl!"

"Do they think we're going to let them stay there?" she asked—there was no mildness in the light-grey eyes now—"and get up underground railroads to run off with our property? What do the abolitionists want with our Territory? They've no right to it. We don't want them here. Why don't they stay in their own States?"

I ventured to suggest that their own States were overpopulated.

"So are we," she responded.

"How much land have you here, madam?" I asked.

A mile along the river and two miles back."

"That's a large farm,"—I'm ashamed to say I made this profound remark.

"No, sir," said the lady "not in this country. I had a son married and we gin him a farm and he sold it. We've neighbors within three quarters of a mile, and I don't like to be crowded that way! I like to have room to turn my elbows in and to let my cattle have a good range."

I thought she had an enlarged idea of elbow room, and remarked:

"People in Europe, would be surprised to hear any one talking of being crowded here."

"Well, but we're not under England now; we fowt out of her once and that's the reason of all this trouble. It's Britain. She wants to get us under her again. That's the reason she sends them Yankees out. *They're all tories,* every one of them! She sent out the Mormons before. But we fowt them out. And we fowt the Ingins and whipped them. We'll fight the Yankees next. May-be we cant whip them, (ironically) I don't know. (very ironically) But we'll try." (Proudly).

"Were the Mormons troublesome neighbors?" I asked.

"Yes," she said; "Bad as the Yankees *intend to be!* Their impudence was insufferable. Why, when they were only three hundred strong they marched upon Independence to take it. Their apostles told them that the Lord would turn the powder of the Missourians into ashes that wouldn't go off. BUT HE DIDN'T."

The last sentence was spoken in an emphatic tone.

"But He didn't," she repeated.

"Guess not," I rejoined.

The light-gray eyes looked mild again, and the fat, fair and forty matron laughed lazily.

"But the Yankees are no better," she resumed, "*they're all Mormons, every one of them.*"

I thought of the Lawrence boys, and remembered their complaints of the lack of ladies there, and said,

"Indeed, madam! Why, now, I thought the Mormons had several wives each, and in Lawrence the boys complain they can't get one ahead."

"They're Mormons, every one of them," said the lady again, without condescending to notice my remark.

As she said so, I remembered how the ladies of Lawrence had acted when their city was besieged, and then I reflected that every lady who had offered to fight in defence of her children and home was a host in herself, and her husband, by logical sequence, a Polygamist.

And so, I said;

"Upon reflection, madam, I believe you are right; they are Mormons, every one of them.'

J. R.

From an Occasional Correspondent of the Detroit Advertiser.

Another Laura Bridgeman.

I have a letter before me, from a perfectly reliable source, giving some facts, which I now repeat. The subject is Abby A., second daughter of Mr. C. C. Dillingham, of Fall River, Mass. My correspondent says:

"I think her one of the wonders of the age. She is deaf, dumb and blind, and has no use of her right limbs, yet she will converse fluently, (with the mute alphabet,) writes very legibly with her left hand, reads comman writing, on a paper or slate, or print, (if the book be not too much worn) by passing her fingers over the words. She will also distinguish the different colors of a variegated dress, in the same way. She has wrought several pieces of cruel work that would be a credit to any girl of her age, selecting and arranging all the colors by feeling, and using only her left hand. She plays draughts and backgammon, expertly. She knows when any one comes into the room, by the jar of the bed, (on which she constantly lies,) and can in this way distinguish the different members of the family."

A son and daughter of my informant, spent several days at Mr. D's. One day the young lady, to test Abby's acuteness, entered the room with an unusual gait. She laughed out, and immediately imitated the long steps with her fingers upon the bed cover, and said "Sally"—the right name—(with her fingers of course).

She possessed the usual bodily faculties till she was eight years of age, when a severe fall brought on disease of the spine ultimating in fits, and the deprivation of sight, hearing, and speech. She lies on her back, and is moved once in four or five weeks. Great care needs to be taken to avoid shaking the bed much, for this would throw her at once into a fit.

"She is very sprightly and playful. Whenever she is moved she goes into a fit. It requires four men, who raise her up as gently as possible, while others remove the bed and replace another. This is usually done about noon. As soon as she is stirred a fit comes on which lasts till sometimes in the night, gradually passing off into a natural sleep, and she wakes quite bright in the morning. It takes her a day or two, however, to get used to her new bed."

My informant has visited her, and says: "She wrote on a slate in my presence. The slate lay on her breast, and she wrote with her left hand, over the top of the slate, the lines running parallel with her body." He enclosed me her autograph, written with a lead pencil on the margin of a newspaper. It is very good, though evidently not written as a trial of penmanship, for there are various scribbles on the slip—her first name four times, for instance. It was evidently written to pass away the time, and not to exhibit her proficiency in writing.

She seems to have been instructed by her own family. The case seems to me quite as wonderful as any I have seen related to the public. She has health and strength to aid in her intellectual efforts. It is not merely against the defect of sight, hearing and speech, that she labors, but against fits, and the paralysis of one-half her body.

Detroit, 8th Feb., 1856.

The Dangers of Science.

[Translated for the Evening Post from the Courrier des Etats Unis, February 7.]

At the last session of the Academy of Sciences in Paris, M. Seguier made a report upon a new discovery, as important as it is dangerous, and which is simply this: M. Lachard has invented a process, simple, certain and rapid, by which he can re-produce writing, transfer it to stone, and consequently multiply autographs to any extent. M. Lachard having been invited to repeat his experiments before a committee of the Academy, asked M. Seguier and his colleagues for a few lines written and signed by themselves. The piece of paper before the ink was yet dry was applied to blotting paper, and this blotting paper M. Lachard took home with him.

The next day M. Seguier received two copies, one on parchment and the other on ordinary paper, of the original, which he had kept in his own possession, and which the copies so exactly resembled that it was impossible to tell which of the papers was written first.

In presence of such incontestible proof, M. Seguier and his colleagues could only bear witness to and extol the ingenuity of M. Lachard's invention; but, like prudent men, they have demanded that the process shall not be made public. "The pernicious and criminal art of the forger," said M. Seguier, "has made such astonishing progress, that it is useless to furnish it new and dangerous weapons by the revelation of an extremely simple process for the re-production of all kinds of handwritings."

....Beautiful extract—helping a young lady out of a mud-puddle.

Kansas News.

[Correspondence of the Missouri Democrat.]

A Free State Democratic paper will be started at Leavenworth as soon as soon as navigation opens, by Archibald M. Sevier, Esq., who purchased the *Territorial Register* only a few days previous to its destruction, by the Kickapoo branch of Atchison's armed organization. The Free State party poll five-sixths of the vote of Leavenworth City, and they claim a still larger proportion in the county.

The *Kansas Herald*, with its characteristic audaciousness, claims a large majority for the nullifiers, in spite of the fact that without a force from Platte county, to overawe the electors, they could not get over 80 votes. The editor of this journal, while professing personally to be a conservative, has done more to exasperate the people of the border counties against the peaceful citizens of Kansas than any other journal in or out of the Territory. The *Herald* is the apologist of every outrage, and the most unblushing chronicler of every falsehood. It is proper to add that the editor is a poet, and perhaps it is his exuberant imagination which causes him so frequently to describe imaginary outrages by law-abiding men. As a specimen of his poetic abilities, quote the following couplet of a commercial sonnet:

> "If goods or groceries you would buy
> By all means you ought to friend Riley try."

HONOR TO WHOM HONOR IS DUE.

In the office of the Territorial Register, hung a portrait of Stephen A. Douglas, presented to Mr. Delahay by the celebrated Senator himself. It had a rough hickory frame. I met a gentleman—a pro-slavery citizen of Leavenworth—who was present when the press was thrown into the river, but disapproved the proceeding and did not participate in it. After he had described the scene, I said:

"There was a portrait of Judge Douglas in the office, did it go too?"

"No, sir," he said, they all lifted their hats in honor of Mr. Douglas, when they passed his portrait, they didn't disturb it nor the table under it, but they made a clean sweep of every thing else.

How gratifying it must be to the distinguished Senator, to know that his mere portrait is treated with so much honor, in far western Territories which his feet never trod but whose sons are familiar with his fame and glory in his acts.

$100,000—New Arrangement—Time Appointed.

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TO THE STOCKHOLDERS AND THE PUBLIC GENERALLY.

It is thought expedient and advisable, inasmuch as the Enterprise is so large, that it will take too long a time to sell all the Certificates; it is proposed, for the better satisfaction of all concerned to set the time, and if the Stock is not all sold, make a distribution, pro rata, of the Gifts (not taking any of the Property from the bill) or as much as there shall be certificates sold—commencing with the smaller Gifts, both Houses and Cash, taking them in proportion and in the same relation upwards as they now stand in he bill, leaving the chances as they now are. Say, if $5,000 worth of Certificates are sold, distribute $5,000 worth—and if $10,000, $15,000, $20,000 or $50,000 worth, or the whole, or any amount, no matter what, but have a distribution take place positively on that day. Then, with the balance of the Enterprise, if any, make a Distribution positively every 60 days thereafter, or, until all the Property is distributed.

It is thought by many that the Enterprise is too large—that it will take too long to sell all the Certificates—they would lay out of their money too long—others, that it would never come off—and a thousand other excuses—and if it was smaller it would go better, &c. &c., but all are going to have shares in it when it "goes off." Now, to obviate these difficulties, and gain the confidence of the People, it has been proposed to set the time and make the distribution, as above described.

There are a great many Certificates sold under the first arrangement. Those who are dissatisfied with this proposed variation, may return their Certificates and receive their money, less 20 per cent, thirty days before the distribution takes place. Their holding them beyond that time will be considered as agreeing to the change. Those drawing small Cash Gifts may take Tickets in the next Distribution, by sending the difference in Cash or Postage Stamps.

As it is but a short time before drawing, Agents and all who intend to purchase should do so as soon as possible. Agents are requested to make their returns three days before the drawing, as they must be Recorded, to entitle the Certificate held or sold by them to Gifts drawn to those numbers, as no numbers will be put in the wheel unless they are recorded. January 1st, 1856.

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Tuesday Morning, ... Feb. 12, 1856.

On the Track and Ready for the Race.

We publish, this morning, a letter addressed to F. C. Sherman, Esq., requesting him to become a candidate for Mayor of Chicago, and also his admirable reply. It will be seen that the letter is very numerously signed; and among the names will be recognized many that have been familiar to old citizens for years, and that carry great weight when appended to a "call" like that of which we speak.

We presume there will be no opposition made to Mr. Sherman, outside of the Nebraska ranks. Of course he was not the first choice of all; but he was the choice of a very large majority of those opposed to Mr. Dyer, and as such and as an Anti-Nebraska man, he will be run, and, we think, elected by a majority greater than that ever received by a candidate for that office. To secure this latter result, his friends must be vigilant and active; for they contend with an untiring foe.

The fact that Mr. Sherman's name appears at the head of the Know Nothing ticket, need not deter any of his friends not in communion with that Order from giving him their cordial support. We are assured upon unquestionable authority that he has no sympathy or connection, immediately or remotely, with that proscriptive and intolerant party, and that his name is used without his authority or consent. This much is due to Mr. Sherman from the fact that his opponents will use this action of the K. N.'s as a weapon with which to assail him.

Know-Nothing City Ticket.

Against the wishes of a large majority of those who have been members of the Order, a segment of the Know-Nothings have got up a city ticket,—putting on it the names of several men without their consent or approbation. The primary object of the ringleaders was, to force the Republicans to choose between Nativeism and Proslavery. But we warn these gentlemen in season, that their sharp practice will not win. There are in Chicago thousands of Americans, to the manor born, who can not be taken in by the Know-Nothing Shibboleth, and a thousand more, true men though born in other lands, who will spew out Nebraskaility. These will never march to the music of the slave drivers thong, or follow the sinister light of the dark lantern. They will neither support Nativistic proscription on one hand, nor Slavery Propagandism on the other—regardless of the high-sounding catch words, "Americans should rule America," or "Popular Sovereignty and Non-intervention," which are but cloaks to cover, in the former Anti-American intolerance, and in the latter Pro-Slavery Ruffianism.

The ticket is calculated to play into the hands of the Nebraskals, to do mischief and mischief only, and as such, all true Americans should repudiate it.

Deficit in the Wisconsin Treasury.

The Treasurer of Wisconsin, who appears to have suffered more through his carelessness and the confidence he reposed in his political friends, has issued the following:

A Card.

To the People of the State of Wisconsin:

After serving as your Treasurer for the space of four years, I find on a partial examination of my official accounts, which examination is not yet fully completed, a deficiency which may amount to, but cannot possibly exceed, the sum of eight or nine thousand dollars. I am confident that further examination will show the deficiency to be considerable short of that amount.

Absence from the Capitol, occasioned by the pressing demands of private business, and sometimes by serious domestic afflictions, has prevented me from giving that attention to the affairs of the office which my duty and the interest of the public demanded. But I can assure the people of the State that neither they or my official bail shall suffer the loss of a single dollar through any act of mine. My private means are ample to meet the emergency, and shall be cheerfully devoted to the payment of any balance against me, which may be finally ascertained. I only ask for a suspension of public opinion and a little time in which to exhibit the facts of the case, and effect a just and honorable settlement.

EDWARD H. JANSSEN,
Late State Treasurer.

Madison, Feb. 6, 1856.

The Madison *State Journal* exonerates Mr. Janssen from all criminal intention, and accounts for the deficit in the following satisfactory manner:

State officers who came into power as mere adventurers, without cash or character, have suddenly become wealthy—men of capital, living in luxury and extravagance, upon salaries of from $800 to $1250 per annum. Clerks in the Departments, who are known to have entered upon their duties with most attenuated purses, have exhibited similar financial phenomena. Men who live in Madison, who drive fast horses, who indulge in all the extravagance of the times, who make no more of giving a gold watch or a diamond ring to a friend than ordinary men would of a pinch of snuff, and whose only visible means of accomplishing all this is a salary of $1000 per year, must either have at times the gift of a Midas-touch, the secret of the Alchemist, or the knowledge of some private fissure in the public crib, large enough to admit a hand and an arm.

"Can such things be
And overcome us like a summer cloud,
Without our special wonder?"

Friends of Gov. Barstow who had claims against the State, are known to have been paid from the treasury before their claims had been presented and audited by any authority, and without any appropriation by law—directly in the teeth of the Constitution, if that instrument had not been rendered fangless by repeated and habitual violation. We understand also that the State Officers and "friends" about the Capitol, when in want of cash, have been in the habit of going to the Treasurer's vault and taking what they wish, leaving in its stead a paper check marked "Good for $—," with the signature of the individual attached. If any of the high functionaries about the Capitol went to a horse race and "bet his money on the bob-tailed nag," and lost, he would come and replenish his wasted purse; or if the "tiger" devoured the contents of his wallet he could restore its shrunken proportions to a comely fullness. In case at any time, the person availing himself of these advantages, forgot to leave a check, it would be difficult for the Treasurer to account for this disappearance of the cash except the most general principles.

That will do. The milk in the cocoanut is accounted for.

Banks of the United States.

The following is a statement of the condition of the banks of the United States at dates nearest to the first of January, 1856—the whole number of banks and branches throughout the Union, being 1,273:

Capital	$[illegible]	Notes, bills of ex-	
Net circulation	[illegible]	change, &c.	$[illegible]
Deposits	[illegible]	Specie	[illegible]
Profits on hand	[illegible]	Real estate	[illegible]
Total	$[illegible]	Total	$[illegible]

The above statement exhibits, upon comparison with the first day of January, 1855, an increase in the amount of capital of $9,468,703, of circulation $12,101,018, of deposits, $30,919,245, and of specie $2,460,952.

Figures, which are said not to lie, fix the amount of specie in the United States at $300,000,000. Who of all the political economists in the country can tell what has become of the two hundred and thirty millions which the Banks have not?

Unitarianism in high places—Queen Victoria Heterodox.

The High Church people of England are much exercised about the reports in circulation concerning the unbelief of the Queen in the dogmas of the Church, and her strong leanings towards the Unitarian faith, through the influence of her husband.

Remarking on this subject the New York *Times* says:

We stated, and we repeat, that Prince Albert is not a believer in the thirty-nine articles, or in the doctrines of the Church, as by law established, though he may, in deference to his position, outwardly conform to her services; but that he is in belief a Unitarian, which we regard as but a kind of conciliatory compromise of Deism. And at the risk of creating still more intense tumult, we can inform our consternation struck clerical friends that the disease of Heterodoxy is not confined to Prince Albert, but extends to almost every guardian of the established Church. Of the late Chancellors, who have special charge of the patronage of the Church and her interests, it is not patent to every one in England that both Lords Lyndhurst and Brougham were Deists in belief. Nor is the present Chancellor one whit more orthodox, unless, since his elevation, he has put on a new faith with his dignity. Then the present Premier, Lord Palmerston, in whose hands are the appointment of Archbishops and Bishops, with that gallantry of bearing which scorns concealment or compromise, openly avows his disbelief in Churches, and that which is their great proposition—original sin. The only one of the present Cabinet of England who professes in private, belief in the doctrines of the Established Church, is Lord Harrowby, and he has been specially introduced into the Cabinet to save it from a wholly heterodox reputation.

☞ Capt. Shubrick, Commander Foot, and Lieut. Biddle, representing the three grades of the Naval Retiring Board, were summoned, Feb. 6th, before the Naval Committee of the Senate, and interrogated concerning the reasons for the dismissal and furlough of the two hundred and one naval officers. This is the first time the action of the Naval Board has been officially questioned.

Conflict of Jurisdiction.

The State of Ohio and the United States the Opposing Parties.

It will be remembered that a gang of Slaves, seven in number, escaped from Kentucky, a few days ago, crossed the river on the ice to Cincinnati, were arrested in a house on the outskirts of the city, upon a process issued under the provisions of the Fugitive Slave Law, that while the posse were forcing their way into the house where those Slaves were concealed, a Slave mother of the party cut the throat of one of her children with a knife that the child might not be dragged back to Slavery; that all of them were seized and conveyed to jail by the U. S. Marshal, and that they were brought before the U. S. Commissioner for examination.

At this point the State of Ohio steps in to exert her authority. The Grand Jury of Hamilton, lately in session, indicted that Slave mother for murder, and the others as accessories. The Sheriff, armed with the process of the State, asserts his right to the possession of the criminals in the possession of the Marshal. The latter refuses to surrender, but throws himself back upon the Fugitive Slave Law, and contends, through his counsel, that it is the superior authority, and that the sovereignty of Ohio must yield.

Here the matter stands—the United States and the State of Ohio the opposing claimants, and neither disposed to surrender a single point of jurisdiction, or a single right with which it is invested. Of course the people of the city are divided, and the excitement caused by the nature of the tragedy just enacted, is not allayed by the conflict now going on. The ultraists, whose theory is State Rights, when nullification and secession is to be attempted and the interests of the Slave Power are to be advanced, are strong in the opinion that the authority of Ohio is a bagatelle—that the law of Congress is supreme, and that the decision of the Commissioner is final. Such is not the doctrine of the State Rights men. Their position is so clearly stated by the Cincinnati *Commercial* that we cannot forbear to quote the following:

It is probable that were this case divested of all prejudice, of all party significance, and all feelings of private interest, it would present no very especial difficulties. The laws of the United States do not declare one thing and the statutes of Ohio another and a different thing; neither is there any question as to which Court is empowered to try the issue upon the ownership of the slaves, or to which has been committed the duty to hear and decide under the criminal prosecution. Neither tribunal stands in the position of questioning the authority of the other in its legitimate sphere; neither, so far as we are aware, manifests the slightest disposition to arrogate powers not its own, to stretch its authority, or to contemn or deny the constitutional authority of the other. The question is, which claim in this case is first in order of precedence—that of the Marshal, representing the property of the master in the slave, or that of the Sheriff representing the right of the State as a sovereign power, to punish offences committed within its territory?

Were the Ohio river removed, and the boundary between this and the neighbor State obliterated, there would be no question remaining. Kentucky punishes the slave equally, at least, with the freeman for the offences which he commits. Public justice does not ask of the master the privilege to hang or to imprison his property. The good of that society demands that the wrong-doer shall be punished—why not the good of *this?* The peace of the State of Ohio is of as much importance as that of the State of Kentucky, and the right to use all proper measures to secure the same is as perfect in one case as in the other. Shall it be said that servitude gains under the fugitive law—enacted, as we have been taught to believe merely for purposes of recaption—qualities in the free States that it does not possess at home? Is slavery a stronger bond—a higher right in Ohio than in Kentucky? Not such, certainly, was the intention of the framers of the Constitution; not such were the professed designs of the makers of the law. By being, through the force of the Constitution, temporarily transferred to the free States, slavery acquires no new prerogatives. It is merely continued as a tenure for one purpose and for one alone—that of the return to his master of the person held to labor.

When the United States assumes the duty to catch and return the negro to his owner, and enters the boundaries of a sovereign State for the purpose, it does it subject to all those restraints and limitations which necessarily belong to the nature of the service, and which the sovereignty of the State may rightfully impose. Granted that the National is, within its own sphere, the paramount Government, so is the State, within its sphere, also paramount. Except where especially invested by the Constitution, the Union has no power whatever. First and highest of all the rights and prerogatives of Government, is that by which society provides for the continuance of its own existence, by enacting laws for the punishment of crimes committed within its territory. Under our form of government, this right belongs to the States. In this respect, the authority of the State is paramount, and whatever office the Union assumes to execute, it does it subject to this authority. The Union may take the negro and return him to his master; but if during his residence among us, he has committed a crime against our laws, he has made himself the legal subject of those laws, and must remain under their penalty, within their power, until his crime is expiated. The laws of the sovereign State of Ohio, know none so high as to be beyond their reach, none so low as to be beneath their grasp, no party so privileged that they may be set aside in his favor.

This seems to us as it will to most other States Rights men, conclusive. The Mayor of Cincinnati, himself a Democrat, but not of the Nebraska species, has issued his instructions to the Chief of Police, in which these views are substantially embodied, and in which he also calls upon him to support the Sheriff with all the assistance in his power, to aid in executing the process of the State. It is fortunate at this crisis that Ohio has a true man in the Executive Chair, and that the Legislature is in unison.

We shall see what will be the result.

Not Wanted in Kansas.—A Company called the *Vegetarian Settlement Company*, is now organized in New York for emigration to Kansas, on the opening of navigation. If the name does not mislead us in supposing that the company is made up of bread and butter men and women who expect to conquer homes in that Territory, on a diet of turnips and other "garden sass," we give our opinion unasked, that they had better stay at home. Cocks of that species won't fight in a new country. Kansas has got enough philosophers, fiddlers, phrenologists, vegetarians, &c., already. She needs beef-eating men—men of thews and sinews, who have blood to spare and the pluck to put themselves in places where a loss of it might happen. But, on second thought, send out the radish-eaters. The first night in camp after a day's march or a day's plowing, will take one ridiculous fantasy out of them, and then, on a diet that men eat, they may and probably will be able to earn their living.

☞ Democratic Convention of Philadelphia recommended the delegates to the National Convention, to select a candidate for the Presidency, to use all honorable means to procure the nomination of Mr. Buchanan. The convention adopted the resolutions almost unanimously, those voting nay being desirous of passing resolutions to the same effect, but of more forcible language. Much confusion was created by the announcement that the "damned Know-Nothing reporter of the *Times*" was in the room, and ought to be excluded. A portion of the convention favored ejecting him by force; others protested, but the reporter finally withdrew, at the solicitation of his friends, thus ending the tumult.

☞ The Slaveholders, after opposing Mr. Banks, for seven weeks, are now flattering him. He could stand the one and he will withstand the other. The N. Y. *Herald* says:

Mr. Banks has made a very favorable impression on this the first day's occupancy by him of the chair of the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Calm, cool, collected, self-possessed, prompt in putting and deciding questions, with a respectful but resolute manner, he bids fair to earn the good will and approval of his most inveterable political foes. I really believe that howsoever prone he may have been on one memorable occasion of catering to the disunion sentiments of the abolitionists of Massachusetts, he will be found to be a firm and conscientious supporter of the Constitution and the Union.

☞ Recent dispatches from Mr. Wheeler, U. S. Minister at Nicaragua, represent the military force of President Walker to be twelve hundred men, and says that he will ultimately succeed in effecting a union of all the Central American States. He spiritedly defends his course in recognizing the new Nicaraguan government, in reply to Mr. Marcy's letter on that subject.

Galena and Chicago Railroad.—On the first page of to-day's *Tribune* will be found a lengthy statement of the business prospects and financial management of the Chicago and Galena Railroad, communicated to the New York *Times* of the 7th inst. It is written by a person apparently well acquainted with the condition of the Road.

Improvement at Bloomington.—J. K. Fell, Esq. of Bloomington, proposes to build a hotel in that flourishing town, next season, to cost about $25,000. It is to be built over the gas-well owned by that gentleman, from which the hotel is to be lighted. A new female seminary is also about to be erected in that town, to cost about $30,000.

☞ Letters received by the Arabia's mails at the State Department, Washington, with reference to our foreign relations, indicate an amicable tendency. Nothing definite, however, has been determined on, and will not be until the dispatches sent out by our government have been received, and action taken thereon by the English government.

The Food Question—A New View.

A correspondent of the New York Evening *Post*, writing from Rome under date Dec. 29th, advances the following, which is worthy the attention of those interested, though they may not put implicit confidence in its statements:

The notion has got abroad in America, that Europe is short of food, and must have it at any price, and that America alone can furnish it. The more exaggerated this impression, the better for Europe and the worse for America. That England wants some bread is very true; who can remember when she did not want some? And France, also, wants more than she has. But the question is, how much do they want?—a question which no man in England or France can answer with even proximate accuracy.

It is not known, in either country, till the following year, what was the growth of the preceding year; nor even then is it known in England with any degree of accuracy; for her grain statistics, like those in America, are never anything but estimates and vague guesses, about which those who should know best often differ most.

At the close of harvest it is customary for grain dealers and speculators to estimate the growth; formerly the government undertook the same thing, but since the abolition of the corn laws she does not concern herself in the matter. It is left for those interested, and as the numbers interested in low prices greatly exceed those who desire high prices, the former generally make the most noise.

It is safe for them, and is natural, to believe in short crops, blights, mildews, starvation and all that sort of thing; the fear of high prices and hunger causes a clamor, the louder the better, because, when the noise has reached the utmost parts of the earth, its purpose is sure to be answered. Shipments are precipitated from all sources, regardless of prices; the ports are loaded with grain, down go the prices, and bread is plenty and cheap.

It is worthy of note, that when there is the greatest cry of scarcity, is just the time when those who have the best means of judging are the most ready, but most careful, in making advances, and most averse to shipping on their own account.

This year, in particular, unusual excitement has existed in both England and France on the subject of food, because of the war, which cuts off some of the ordinary sources of supply, and the consequent necessity of resorting to America for a larger proportion than usual. The country which refuses an unanimous sympathy with the cause of the allies is resorted to with reluctance for anything which it desires to sell. The bad grace with which this necessity is grudgingly submitted to, has had much to do with producing exaggerated notions of scarcity in Europe.

But there has been no lack of incorrect and wild stories put in circulation, having the same tendency. The American papers, from as far west as Chicago, come freighted with them. In reading them here one might think they believed in America that a state of famine was approaching in Europe, and that the Union was in danger of being plundered of food. One of these undying fictions is the continual "purchases made for account of the French government" in every market and town—as if it made any difference to the sellers where a certain quantity of food it wanted—whether it is bought by the French government or people. But the idea of government purchases does produce a much greater effect in the market than the same quantity bought by individual speculators.

I will venture the opinion with a great deal of confidence, that with the exception of some stores for the troops, chiefly provisions, the French government has not bought a single article of food in America nor elsewhere.

That government announced early in the season, that it had abandoned the ancient policy in such cases, and that it would take no steps to supply any deficiency of food, except the removal of legal restrictions to a free importation of food. Whether or not the publication of this resolution in the *Moniteur* was any good reason for believing it, certain it is, that the existing policy of that government, its known acts, and its present circumstances, are such as to leave no doubt in the minds of those who have observed the course of that government, that the announcement was made in good faith, and that trade in food is as free in France as in England or America, and without the least fear of competition or interference from the government.

But the mischief arising from an exaggerated notice of the wants of Europe, from whatever source it arises, tends mainly to the injury of those who have food to sell.

The clamor in Europe undoubtedly raises prices upon themselves for a short time in the home market; but the excitement enlarges as it spreads, and results in hastening shipments from all points, *chiefly on account of the shippers*. Heavy imports and low prices follow; the loss is on the side of the producers, the gain is to the consumers. On the other side, still greater disasters arise from the same source; speculation in America runs to excess; prices rise with the telegraph all over the country, and expectation rises still higher, till farmers are quite reluctant to part with their produce, for fear it may yet advance after they have sold. Under this influence the season of interior navigation has closed without having delivered at tide-water more than about the usual quantity of food.

The exports have been considerable, and reduced stocks and high prices for the winter consumption on the sea-board are the consequence, without corresponding benefit to the producers, because the increased cost of winter transport is now between them and the market. Meantime the other food producing countries are industriously securing good prices. The farmers spread over the great valley of the Nile—one of the finest grain regions—knowing too much or not enough to be dissatisfied with current rates, are pushing forward their large surplus with all haste. The shipments from Alexandria, for the ports of France and England, at the last dates, were largely in excess of previous years.

If the reports of the American crop are not as much exaggerated as the deficiency in Europe, the great bulk of it is still on hand, and winter is the time for speculation of the worst kind, in the shape of contracts for future delivery, all upon high expectations and at high prices.

Consumption in America goes on, whether food is cheap or dear; people eat of the best all they can, because they can; in Europe consumption is governed and limited by the cost; high prices diminish rapidly the consumption of wheaten bread, and throw it upon coarser grains and vegetables.

When the interior navigation opens, the spring season, which is earlier on this side, will be well advanced. Farmers will be busy with planting; gardens and green food, to the culture of which great care is given, will be nearly ready for use; the pinch of winter will be past; labor will be fully employed, and the sun will shine!

The food-panic will be dissipated and forgotten, and it will unquestionably be found that the deficiency was less—a great deal less—than in America it was thought to be. Approaching winter is a great exaggerator of apprehended wants, which are as naturally dissipated by the incoming spring.

The table of market prices is the safest index; it indicates plenty and at moderate cost, though taken in the middle of the gloomiest month of the season; prices since then, certainly in Paris, have modified and show steady symptoms of receding.

If these views are correct, the fall of prices has yet to act on the largest portion of the American crops and the effects of reaction may spread, under the contract system, back even to the producers, who in many instances are still the holders of their produce, under contracts of sale which can never be fulfilled; while in other cases of actual delivery under advances, the same result may follow, by a fall upon the hands of speculators too weak to bear it, and the mischief produced may be far more than equivalent to the advantage realized from the portion of produce actually sold and consumed at extravagant prices.

A Wonderful Invention.

A correspondent of the *News*, writing from Austin, Texas, on the 18th of Sanuary, thus notices a new invention:

"The great invention of the age is General Chambers' terra-aqueous machine; it has been privately submitted to Committies of both branches of the Legislature, and I am credibly informed that it has been demonstrated to the satisfaction of all the members of both Committies, that the invention is a valuable one, and likely to create an entire revolution in the means of transportation. It is represented not to have any wheels, and not to slide, and yet by some peculiar arrangement, will, on a graded road make 40 miles an hour. The road will be much wider than a railroad track, but will require no iron, possibly cost less than a double track. It will cross rivers or bays at the rate of ten miles per hour. This is a short description of a machine applicable to both land and water. The inventor claims that the same principle may be applied to machines intended solely for water transportation, and that the speed of twenty miles per hour may be obtained. The invention may be too extravagant for credence but as some men, who have acknowled mechanical skill, pronounce it a valuable invention, I deem it worthy of notice."

Eastern Travel.—Communication between Chicago and New York by the Southern route is uninterrupted, and trains are running regularly. We are not informed as to the Central route through Canada.

Small Potatoes.—The New York *Evening Post* deems the fact that a hotel in that city made $35,000 in one year, of sufficient importance to justify special comment. That figure can be doubled out West from a year's profits, and not go out of Chicago to do it.

Republican State Convention.—We learn from the Madison *Journal* that the Republicans of the Legislature, at their caucus on Wednesday last, recommended the calling of a Republican State Convention, to be held at Madison on the 5th of March next.

☞ The steamship Illinois, which sailed on Tuesday for Aspinwall, took 480 soldiers from Governor's Island, destined for Oregon and California, where they will, no doubt, be employed in operating against the hostile Indians.

☞ It is a noticeable coincidence that Mr. Banks was elected by the same plurality as Mr. Cobb, in 1849. The latter received 102 votes against 99 for Winthrop. Mr. Bank's vote was 103 against 100 for Aiken.

Lost and Found.—Mr. March, the Treasurer of Grant county, Wis., who lost $16,000 in gold, a few days ago, out of a stage-coach, between Blue Mounds and Madison, has recovered it all. The bags containing the coin were found in the road. Who will not believe in luck after this?

☞ The Bay and Rivers at New York are covered with ice. A fleet of vessels are bound up by it.

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The above table is convenient for finding the maturity of Bills or Notes. The index represents the days of the month; the opposite columns give the day of the year represented by such day of the month. A note at 60 days, dated March 15th, being the 75th day of the year, as is seen in the March column in a line with 15 in the index, the addition of 63 (including three days grace) shows the note falls due on the 138th day of the year, which will be found on reference to the month and index, to be Saturday, the 17th day of May.

Won't Stand Fire.—The Nebraska-ites are falling on all sides, "like leaves in wintry weather." The *Times* hoisted the name of Mr. Greenbaum for Alderman in the Sixth, on Saturday, pronouncing him Nebraska, "pure and simple." Mr. G. denies the charge, and claims that there was no warrant for thus using his name. He is opposed to slave extension in every shape.

Hunt up another Candidate for the Sixth, Mr. *Times!*

Mr. Crice declines in the First, Mr. Voss, in the Fourth, and Col. Hamilton in the Fifth. We hope, at least, the Nebraska candidate for Mayor will stand by his colors. We don't like to see the enemy run before the firing begins.—*Journal.*

Chicago Burlington and Quincy Railroad.—The earnings of this line, for the month of January, 1856, are as follows:

For transportation of Freight	$60,701 68
" " Passengers	30,341 62
" " U. S. Mail	1,380 29
Total	$[illegible]

The approximate proportion of earnings for each road composing the line are as follows:

	Freight.	Passengers.	Mails.
Galena & Chicago Union	$9,589 59	$5,875 45	$517 86
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	27,543 03	12,623 44	[illegible]
Central Military Tract	19,063 47	10,085 38	571 43
Peoria & Oquawka	4,557 59	3,656 35	300 00
Totals	$60,701 68	$30,341 62	$1,380 29

News Items and Varieties.

....Dr. Alden March was on Wednesday elected President of the New York State Medical Society

....In England female detectives are employed on the Eastern Counties Railway for the detection of thieves.

....It is said that fat pork is used on some of the Ohio railroads for lubricating axels. It is placed in thin slices, in the axle boxes.

....The railroad men have resolved to potspone their ball, at Buffalo, until the 27th inst., in consequence of the general snow blockade.

....The Boston Irish Emigrant Society gave a dinner to Thomas F. Meagher and Lady on Tuesday night at the Parker House. About 100 participated, one half of whom were ladies.

....Hon. Wm. R. Staples, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Rhode Island, is about to retire from the bench. He has been elected President of the R. I. Society for the encouragement of Domestic Industry.

....The Oneida (N. Y.) *Sachem* says it is rumored that the wife of a respectable laboring man in that village, by the death of a long forgotten relative in England, is heir to £1,000,000 or nearly $5,000,000 in our currency.

....On last Thursday afternoon, at Auburn, John Fitzgerald was arraigned before the Oyer and Terminer for murder, in September last, in the town of Sterling, of his *Father, Mother* and *Brother!* He butchered them deliberately with an ax, and intended to kill another of the family

....A correspondent of the N. Y. *Tribune* writes that on the 22d ult., a justice of the paece, named Kellogg, was tarred and feathered down in Newton, Conn., in consequence of some act on he had taken under cover of the Maine Law. The affair occurred in broad daylight, and after the tar and feather had been applied, he was ridden on a rail.

Emigration.

In 1840, the number of emigrants who left England was 90,000. In 1846 it reached 129,000; and from 1847 to 1853 the number exceeded 300,000. Thus, in 1853, it had reached 320,937.

If we go back to 1815, and take the total number who left the ports of Great Britain from that year to 1853, we should find it to be not less than 3,793,520.

German emigration is considerable less than that of England. It takes its departure from the Hanseatic ports as well as from Liverpool, Antwerp, Havre and Dunkirk. There are no statistical returns except for Antwerp, Bremen and Hamburg. In 1853 the departures from Hamburg were 29,652, and from Bremen, 58,000.

According to information furnished by the Chamber of Commerce of Havre, a total number of 68,836 emigrants left that port in 1853, of whom about 54,000 were German. According to a document published at Hamburg, the total number of Germans who emigrated from 1846 to 1852, was as follows: In 1846, 92,000; in 1851, 120,000; in 1852, 155,000; and for the seven years from 1846 to 1852, a total of 725,144.

The number who emigrated from France in 1853 was 14,500, principally nations of the Upper Rhine. But we have no information as to the amount of the Basque emigration from the ports of Bayonne and Bordeaux to the ports of La Plata.

It will be seen that England and Germany are the two countries which furnish the greatest number of emigrants. As to France, if we except Alsace and some Pyrenean departments, the inhabitants of which follow two different currents, one towards North America, the other towards South America, the populations remain aloof from the movement going on around them.

New York Frozen in.—The severe cold weather has almost succeeded in laying an embargo upon business in New York. Our rivers are full of ice, and vessels are frozen fast in the docks. Yesterday afternoon the steamer Illinois, bound to California, with United States soldiers and other passengers, had to have the ice cut out of her dock to get to sea. The clipper ship Glad Tidings, with freight and passengers, bound to New Orleans, is frozen in at her berth. Buttermilk channel is closed, and people walk on the ice from Brooklyn to Governor's Island. Our markets have short supplies of produce, on account of the obstructions to navigation, and prices of fish have advanced.—*Post, 7th inst.*

Fire.—About one o'clock Friday morning, a fire occurred on Jefferson street between Front and Main, and we are probably indebted to the circumstance of the roof beina covered with snow for the preservation of the block. The fire originated in the hat store of Mr. Somers which was entirely consumed, including not only his large stock of goods, but books and papers. The store of Mr. Overholser, adjoining, was also consumed, but most of his goods were saved. The buildings consumed belonged to Col. John S. David and Mr. Postlewait, and the damage is about $6,000. The goods of Mr. Somers, we learn were fully insured. Mr. S. is absent from the city, and we are not advised of the value of his stock.—*Burlington Hawk-Eye.*

Chief Justice Taney.—The whole country will be rejoiced to learn that the venerable Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States has so far recovered from his last severe and protracted illness as to be able to resume his high official duties. He appeared in his seat in the Supreme Court yesterday.—*National Intel., 5th.*

Illinois College again on Fire.—Our citizens were startled by the cry of fire, on Sunday night last, proceeding from College Hill. It was soon found that the old Chapel of Illinois College was on fire—the only building of any value which survived the conflagration a few years ago. The flames were subdued, however, before any material damage was done.—*Jacksonville Jour., 7th.*

Fire in Toronto.—We learn from a telegraph dispatch, that a destructive fire occurred last night in Toronto, by which the office and entire establishment of the Toronto *Colonist* was destroyed. They issued their paper this morning, however, having saved the forms of their paper, they being locked up, and ready for the press when the fire broke out. We are without further particulars, although we understand that a number of other buildings were burned in addition to that of the *Colonist.*—*Buffalo Rep., 6th.*

Fire in Columbus, Ohio.—About one o'clock yesterday morning, a fire broke out in the manufacturing establishment of Messrs. Brotherlin & Haim, cabinet makers, situated on the bank of the Canal, at the foot of South street. The alarm was immediately given, and although the Steam Fire Engine was on the ground in due season and kept to work for an hour or so, not a drop of water was forced through the hose owing to some derangement in the machinery of the Engine. The consequence was, that the building and its entire contents were consumed.

The loss to the proprietors is estimated at from ten to twelve thousand dollars—with no insurance.—*Columbus Statesman, 6.*

Plastic Zinc for Rooms.—A property has been discovered, possessed by oxychloride of zinc, which renders it superior to the Plaster of Paris for coating the walls of rooms. It is applied in the following manner: A coat of oxyd of zinc mixed with size, and made up like a wash, is first laid on the wall, ceiling, or wainscot, and over that a coat of chloride of zinc applied, being prepared in the same way as the first wash. The oxyd and chloride effect an immediate combination, and form a kind of cement, smooth and polished as glass, and possessing all the advantages of oil paint without its disadvantages of smell, &c. The inventor further suggests the employment of oxychloride of zinc as a paint for iron, and also to stop hollow teeth, for which its plasticity and subsequent hardness and impenetrability to the moisture of the mouth, render it particularly applicable.

LATEST NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH AND MAILS.

Washington News.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.

The dispatches by the Persia are friendly, and there is no definite answer respecting the recall of Mr. Crampton and the causes. There is no possibility of a collision on the Central American question.

Mr. Wilson will speak to-morrow against the British claims in Central America, and will oppose the Clayton and Bulwer treaty. He opposes Mr. Seward's plan as leading to war, and he will offer in conclusion a joint resolution abrogating the Clayton and Bulwer treaty.

Mr. Douglas has arrived, and will oppose the administration in its policy on Central America. He advises an alliance offensive and defensive with Gen. Walker, as preliminary to the war with Great Britain, which is about to take place upon the recommendation of Messrs. Seward, Foote and Wilson.

The House re-adopted the resolution to proceed to the election of a printer, when a vote was taken with the following result: Follett, 68; Wendell, 66; Farnam, 16; Nathan Sargeant, 9; scattering, 14. Necessary to a choice 87. Mr. Cullam, Clerk of the House, retains Messrs. Barclay, Buck and Harris as clerks. He has removed 20 others, and filled the vacancies.

The impression exists here that Mr. Crampton will shortly retire voluntarily, and not in consequence of any demand on the part of his government for his recall.

Senor Almonte left here for Mexico at the urgent solicitation of his friends. The Constitution of that country now being remodeled and his presence deemed necessary for present and future contingences.

Congressional—Home Printer.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.

A *Tribune* Washington correspondent telegraphs Mr. Banks had an interview with L. D. Campbell, of Ohio, this morning, and tendered him in a friendly way the Chairmanship of the Committee of Ways and Means. Mr. Graw, of Pennsylvania, will probably be Chairman of the Committee on Territories.

The chairmanship of other important committees are not yet decided, and cause the Speaker some embarrassment.

Senate Continued.—On motion of Mr. Thompson, of Ky., a resolution was adopted instructing the Committee on Military affairs to enquire into the expediency of abolishing the Military Asylum at Harrodsburg, Ky.

Mr. Thompson said the old soldiers were not satisfied to be so far from salt water, where they could not get Schiedam Schnapps and Irish whiskey.

On motion of Mr. Sumner, the P. O. committee was instructed to consider whether the charges of ocean steamers are not unnecessarily large and burdensome, and whether something may not be done, if so, to secure the benefits of cheaper ocean postage.

On motion of Mr. Sumner the judiciary committee was instructed to consider the expediency of the appointment of commissioners to revive the public statutes and reduce them to the corrected text and render the language plain to all.

Adjourned.

House.—More votes were taken, the last resulting as follows:

Follet 65, Wendell 71, Farnham 9, Sargent 6, scattering 16—necessary to a choice, 84.

Mr. Underwood made an ineffectual motion to elect Printer by a plurality vote.

Adjourned.

The Mexican Drafts.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.

The *Herald's* correspondent telegraphs:

"Mexico having withdrawn her protest against the payment of a portion of the Santa Anna drafts, it will be considered by our Government as a recognition of the whole. If valid in part, these drafts must be valid entire, and the whole amount will be paid to the American holders."

Lighthouse Destroyed.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.

The Pangatataque lighthouse was swept away on Saturday night, 2d inst., with the men who were stationed there. Nothing heard from it since.

Salt Lake News.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 11.

The Salt Lake Mails arrived at Independence on Saturday. No news of importance.

The party report snow at a depth of from 3 to 15 feet.

The Santa Fe and Salt Lake outward bound mails were obliged to return on account of inability to proceed.

There was a great amount of suffering in the Territory.

DIED,

On Sunday, Feb. 3, at 11 A. M., in Saratoga, Grundy Co., Ill's, ORPHA C., wife of Philip Tompkins, with inflamation of the lungs, formerly from New Hartford, New York, aged 41 years.

In this city, 9th inst., WILLIAM MERWIN, infant son of R. N. and Sabrina Robbins.

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10 Boxes Lemons.
Also, 5½ chests Tea, 10 boxes Ground Coffee, 20 boxes ground Pepper, 15 boxes Valentia Raisins, 5¼ do Fine Tobacco, 4 kegs Soda do.
2 bbls Chestnuts, 15 bbls Apples.
Also, a lot of Traps and Notions.
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Also, a Quantity of Household and Kitchen Furniture, such as Sofas, Tables, Chairs, Rocking Chairs, Lounges, Carpets, Floor Oil Cloth, Matrasses, Bedsteads, Feather Beds and Pillows, Stoves, &c.
feb12 JOHN RANKIN.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, January 1st, 1856, to the Auditor of the State of Illinois.

1. The name of the Company is the Hartford Fire Insurance Co., and is located at Hartford, Conn.
2. The Capital Stock of the Company is $300,000
3. The amount of its Capital Stock paid up is 300,000
4. The Assets of the Company are as follows:

Shares	Stock	Par value.	Market val.
500	Shares Hartford Bank Stock	$50,000	$68,500
200	Shares Phoenix Bank	20,000	22,500
150	" Bank of Hartford County Stock	15,000	16,050
48	" Farmers and Mechanics' Bank Stock	4,800	5,184
60	" City Bank Stock	6,000	7,920
200	" Exchange Bank Stock	10,000	10,800
100	" Mercantile Bank Stock	10,000	10,500
200	" Charter Oak Bank Stock	20,000	23,000
50	" Connecticut River Banking Comp'y Stock	2,500	3,250
100	" American Exch'ge Bank Stock, of New York	10,000	11,000
100	" Bank of Commerce Stock, of N. Y.	10,000	11,200
100	" Merchants' Bank Stock, of N. Y.	5,000	7,000
100	" Union Bank Stock of N. Y.	5,000	5,900
50	" Bank of America Stock, of N. Y.	5,000	5,650
200	" Importers & Traders' Bank Stock, of N. Y.	20,000	20,050
100	" Hartford, Providence and Fishkill R. R. Stock	10,000	2,000
34	" Hartford, Providence and Fishkill R. R. Stock, preferred	3,400	3,060
20	" Connecticut River Railroad Stock	2,000	1,120
50	" Hartford and New Haven R R stock	5,000	6,400
120	" Connecticut River Stock	12,000	3,000
		$226,300	$240,467

Bills receivable, secured by approved personal security or ample collateral $141,045 00
Due from Agents 31,200 00
Cash in bank and in Bags 20,300 40
.... $432,[illegible]

5. No liabilities to Banks or others, due or not due.
6. No losses adjusted and due.
7. Amount of losses, either unadjusted or Adjusted and not due. } $4,342 22
8. Losses in suspense waiting further proof, included in last answer above.
10. All other claims against the Company 17,100 00
11. The rule of the Company is not to exceed $10,000 in any one risk subject to loss by a single fire.
12. The amo not insured in a city or village, depends upon its size, generally, all the desirable risks to be had, subject to the rule last above named.
13. The amount insured in any one block of buildings depends upon its size and construction, subject to the rule above referred to.
14. The Act of Incorporation is the same as filed in March, 1855.
C. B. BOWERS, Secretary.

STATE OF CONNECTICUT, Hartford County, } ss. January 19th, 1856.

Personally appeared C. B. BOWERS, Secretary of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, and made oath, that the foregoing statement by him subscribed, is true according to his best knowledge and belief.
Before me, RICHARD D. HUBBALL, Justice of the Peace.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, STATE OF ILLINOIS, Springfield, Jan. 29, 1856. }

Whereas, the Hartford Fire Insurance Co., located at Hartford, in the State of Connecticut, has filed in this office a statement of the condition of its affairs, as required by "An act to regulate the Agencies of Insurance Companies not incorporated by the State of Illinois," approved Feb. 14, 1855; and whereas, said Company has furnished satisfactory evidence that it is possessed of the required amount of capital invested in stocks and mortgages, and has filed in this office a written instrument, signed by the President and Secretary thereof, appointing R. K. Rogers, of Chicago, Illinois, its agent for the transaction of the business of said Company, and fully and unreservedly authorizing him to acknowledge service of process for and on behalf of said Company, consenting that service of process upon him, the said Agent, shall be held and taken to be valid as if served upon the Company, waiving all claim of error by reason of such service.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the provisions of the act aforesaid, I, THOS. H. CAMPBELL, Auditor of the Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, do hereby certify that the said R. K. Rogers is authorized as an Agent for the said Company, to transact the business of Insurance in this State, until the 31st day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, so far as he may be legally empowered so to do by said Company.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and affixed the seal of my office, at Springfield, the 29th day of January, A. D. 1856.
THOS. H. CAMPBELL, Auditor P. A.
R. K. ROGERS, Agent,
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Mackinac	1 case Carpet.
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Chicago	1 bbl H H goods.
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No mark	1 bale in Carpet.
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"	1 Valise.
"	1 Nest Measures.
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"	1 case H H goods.
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"	Lot Hollow Ware.
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"	1 Pair Platform Scales.
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"	1 bdl Chimney Rims.
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FOR RENT—AN EXTENSIVE SOAP, Candle and Lard Oil Manufactory in full operation with a business that has been established for over twenty years. For particulars apply to CHAS. CLEAVER, ja17 m88 1m. No. 99 South Water st. Chicago.

FOR RENT.—THE NEW BRICK STORE with good dry Cellar and Third Story, No. 43 Franklin street. Apply to W. H. SAMPSON, sep30 No. Wells street.

For Sale.

FOR SALE, THE SCHOONER PALOALTO well calculated for the Muskegon or Grand River Lumber trade. Carries 125,000 feet. Enquire of Barber & Johnson. feb8-2w*

HOUSE AND STORE FOR SALE OR Lease.—The Store and House heretofore occupied by Geo. D. Lewis, deceased, will be sold at a low figure. It is situated within two hundred feet of the Station House, at Richton Station, 29 miles from Chicago, on the Chicago Branch of the Illinois Central R. R. No doubt arrangements can be made for the purchase of the stock of goods now in the store. Apply to JOHN CALHOUN, feb8-2w* 110 State street.

NOTICE.—FOR SALE, 18 HOUSES AND Lots. Also, 57 Scattering Lots, 15 of which are in Carpenter's Addition.

Those wishing to invest money in West Chicago, can now find bargains, by calling upon E. H. Cummings, at the West Chicago Land Office, 47 No. West Randolph street. feb6-n80-3m

WAREHOUSE SALE AT J. P. CHAPIN'S—Will be sold at my Warehouse, corner of Clark and South Water street, on 15th March, 1856, to pay charges, unless previously called for, the following articles:

Levi Bacon, Chicago	2 Boxes.
John Wasson, "	4 " 1 Chest.
J. Moore, "	1 Box.
Cyrus F. Cherry, "	2 Boxes.
D. S. Owen, "	1 Box.
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Jas. Campbell, "	1 Bale.
H. Weiss, "	1 Box.
J. B. Watkins, "	1 Box.
S. S. Barton, "	1 Box.
W. H. Apple, "	1 Trunk.

feb7-n84-wit,d&w

FARM FOR SALE.—80 ACRES W. ½ S. E. ¼ Sec. 32, T. 29, R. 14, 2 miles west Kile's Tavern, on State street Plank Road. For particulars, address J. C. Wenham, Grand Rapids, Michigan. jan30-3m*

SOUTH BRANCH PROPERTY FOR SALE.—140 feet on the River north and adjoining the Dry Dock, with the buildings, engine and boiler. Apply to SCAMMON & HAVEN, ja21 1m 140 Lake Street.

FOR SALE.—TEN ACRES OF LAND, LOcated at Blue Island, upon which there is an immense supply of beautiful building stone, ¼ mile from Calumet Feeder and Rock Island Railroad. Jany 19—n84-1mo D. GOODWILLIE.

FOR SALE.—A LOT SITUATED ON CAnal street, block 52, near to corner Jackson, size being 24 front by 135 deep, and a two story frame dwelling 20-60, and now renting for $450 per annum. Price $3,500, part on time. jan19-n84-1mo D. GOODWILLIE.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGED FOR GOOD city lots within half a mile of Court House, on North or South sides: A cot Frame Dwelling House, situated on Green Bay Road, block 19, section 33, 1½ miles from river, containing 10 rooms, with good barn and stabling, cistern, good water, shade and ornamental trees. Also, 5 acre of land, improved. jan19-n84-1mo D. GOODWILLIE.

FOR SALE.—THE MACHINERY AND Building known as the Hydraulic Mills. This Mill has two Engines and three Boilers, and in complete running order, with three run of stone. Apply at the mill, foot of Lake street, Chicago. jan1-n4,2m* WOODWORTH & PHILLIPS.

A NEW AND VERY FINE TONED, ROSEWOOD PIANO, for Sale at a very low price. Enquire at 223 State street. dec22,tf,2w*

FOR SALE.—ONE OR MORE SHOW Cases. Enquire at Sevilles' Cheap Hat and Variety Store, No. 63 North Clark street.

FOR SALE.

THE BRIG ONTARIO, NOW LAYING AT the foot of Washington street, West Side. Capacity 300 feet lumber. Terms of payment made easy. Enquire of ROBERT STUART, ja19 Cor. Water and Washington st.

Lost and Found.

FIVE DOLLARS REWARD, FOR A LOST SHAWL PIN, made of red coral, with branches in the form of a deer's antler. It was lost on the 7th inst., by a lady, in the following walk, viz.:—From Huron to Wolcott street; thence on the west side of Wolcott to Erie street; thence on the north side of Erie to Dearborn; thence on the west side of Dearborn to the corner of Dearborn and Ontario streets.

The finder, on delivery at this office will receive the above reward, together with the thanks of the owner.
feb8—n80—3t

LOST, A LADY'S FUR VICTORINE, ON Friday, Feb. 1st, about 5 o'clock, either on Edina place, between Harrison and Van Buren, or on State street, between Van Buren and Adams, or on Adams, between the corner of State street and the Garden City Institute.

The finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving it at 123 Lake street. feb7-3t*

General Notices.

NOTICE.—ATTENTION!—
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All Members are requested to meet at the Hall, corner of Wells and South Water street, on Saturday evening, February 9.

Business of particular importance. Attend. feb9-1t

FIRE DEPARTMENT NOTICE.—THE Nomination for Chief Engineer and First and Second Assistants, will be held at SOUTH MARKET HALL, on Tuesday, February 12th, 1856.

By order of SILAS McBRIDE,
feb6-3t,n79 Chief Engineer.

CAUTION.—ALL PERSONS ARE WARNED against purchasing the following Notes:—One, dated Chicago, Jan. 24, 1856, for $150, payable to the order of Richard Streper, thirty days after the date thereof. Another, dated at the same time and place for $120, payable sixty days after the date thereof.

Said notes were given without any consideration, and will not be paid by us. MAXWELL & FREEMAN.
feb1—1m*

ICE! ICE! ICE!

PEOPLE HAVING PRIVATE ICE HOUSES and requiring them filled with fine Ice, can have ice furnished and packed on short notice and at reasonable prices. Apply to DAVID GOODWILLIE, box 823, P. O., or leave orders at Rees & Kerfoots. Jany.19-1m.n80

IN TIME OF PEACE PREPARE FOR WAR. ATTENTION, NATIONAL GUARD.—The regular meeting of Company A., National Guards, will be held on Tuesday evenings of each week, at 7 o'clock, until further notice.
jan15-tf C. M. JENKINS, O. S.

To Dealers in Grain.

THOSE WILLING TO CONTRACT RYE and Wheat for Spring delivery may make their proposals before the undersigned.
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C. S. BURDSALL'S QUICK YEAST, OR BAKING POWDER, has become a standard culinary article. The Proprietor has at length brought its manufacture to so great a state of perfection that the most inexperienced house-keeper cannot fail in making the most charming Biscuits, Cakes and Pastry ever eaten. Warranted to please. 100 Gross for sale by C. S. BURDSALL,
Chicago, Jan. 17.—1m-n80. Cor. Lake and Clinton streets.

Mrs. Caroline Lee Hentz.

WE HAVE IN PRESS, AND SHALL publish on the 28th of February, one of the most brilliant and fascinating Works which has ever been published in this country. It is from the gifted and elegant pen of one of America's choicest writers—Mrs. CAROLINE LEE HENTZ—a lady who needs no flourish of trumpets to herald her fame, for she has established a world-wide reputation years ago. We may say, however, that in this new Work, she has not only sustained her previous high reputation, but she has achieved a victory, and reached a literary standpoint far in advance of any of her previous efforts. So say all who have examined the manuscript, and we doubt not that this will be the verdict of the critics, when the Book shall appear. The scenes are drawn in part from fashionable life in Boston and New York.

ERNEST LINWOOD,

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It will be comprised in a handsome 12mo. volume of about 450 pages, price $1,25, with our usual discount to the trade.

Booksellers are most respectfully requested to forward their orders at an early day.

JEWETT, PROCTOR, & WORTHINGTON,
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Bank Locks.

BANKS AND ALL OTHER INSTITUTIONS requiring reliable security, are invited to examine Lillie's Patent Combination Locks before purchasing. These celebrated Locks are now the principal Locks purchased and relied upon by the largest banks, and nearly all others in the cities of New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore. Also, in Troy, Syracuse, Rochester, Oswego, and Buffalo, they have taken the place of all other locks, whose proprietors are constantly publishing certificates long since given, and from banks where at present the locks are not used.

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Are sold as usual to Banks, Bankers and all others requiring perfect security against fire or thieves. Thirty thousand dollars worth have been shipped to this market the past season, and nearly all sold. They are perfectly safe against thieves, entirely free from dampness, and have proved better than any other safe made. Any of these Safes will be exchanged for a new safe in case of fire of any building, or be exchanged for a new one at any of our agencies, by paying the expense of repainting.
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At prices which must satisfy all of it's determination to close out the stock as soon as possible by offering Great Inducements to purchasers. The stock is in good condition and consists of some very choice goods, much better than are usually found made up. Also Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods of all kinds made up.
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Ja 19. No. 77 Randolph, cor. Dearborn st.

ESTATE OF JOHN W. MYERS.—ALL Persons having claims against the estate of John W. Myers, deceased, are hereby notified to present the same for settlement and adjustment, to the County Court of Cook County, on the first Monday of April, at the Court House, in the city of Chicago.
CATHARINE MYERS, Executrix.
Chicago, Feb. 2—n80-w4t

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For Sale.

Lost and Found.

General Notices.

Special Notices.

Dr. Jas. McClintock's Whooping Cough Remedy and his Diarrhea Cordial have become the great leading and standard remedies in families [illegible] every where that they are known. Whooping Cough, Croup, Asthma, &c., and Diarrhea, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, and Summer Complaint, [illegible] speedily cured by their prompt effects. [illegible] College of Medicine.

Sold by BRINCKERHOFF & FENTON, 94 Lake street.

An [illegible] Medicine, we would [illegible]

J. H. REED & CO., Agents, 144 Lake st., Chicago.
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Batchelor's Hair Dye.—The Original, True [illegible]

Batchelor's Hair Dye.—Perfection is not attained by imitators and none; there is no successful road to universal favor. The world will not be blown like chaff into a channel indicated by imitators. Witness the [illegible] faces of BATCHELOR'S Hair Dye, seen by washing when others stop, unfolded by its intrinsic worth and truthfulness to nature. WARRANTED not to disappoint the hopes of those who use it. Made and sold, or applied at the Wig Factory, 233 Broadway, New York.

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Herring's Patent Champion Fire-proof Safes, with Hall's Patent Powder-Proof Locks, the same that were awarded separate medals at the World's Fair, London, 1851, and the World's Fair, New York, 1853 and 1854, and are the only AMERICAN SAFES and Powder-Proof Locks that were awarded medals at the London World's Fair, although others were on exhibition, and are now advertised as World's Fair Safes and Locks.

THE PATENTEE PLACED $1000 IN GOLD in the safe exhibited at the WORLD'S FAIR, London, and invited all the PICK-LOCKS IN THE WORLD TO OPEN THE SAFE, with or without the keys, and take the money as a reward for their ingenuity. Although operated upon by several skilled in the art, no one could Pick the Lock, or open the Safe.

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Batchelor's Hair Dye.—"Let this be your trust." That it makes no difference how gray or red, or rusty the hair or whiskers may be, nor how much they may have been injured by bad dyes, BATCHELOR'S will make them a beautiful and lively black or brown without the least injury. It will never fade or turn rusty. WARRANTED. Made and sold, or applied, (in 9 private rooms) at BATCHELOR'S Wig Factory, 233 Broadway, New York. Counterfeits are offered; avoid all except the box that has "Wm. A. Batchelor," on.

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Dalley's Genuine Pain Extractor will subdue the pain and inflammation from the severest burns or scalds, in from one to twenty minutes—and that it will heal the wounds without scar; and effectually cure Fever Sores—Piles—Salt Rheum—Inflammatory Rheumatism—Sore and Inflamed Eyes—Cuts—Wounds—Bruises—Old and Inveterate Sores—Scald Head—Corns and Bunions—Erysipelas—Sprains—Swellings—Felons—Chilblains—Bites of Insects—Swelled and Broken Breasts—Sore Nipples—Eruptions—and all other inflammatory and cutaneous diseases, where the part affected can be reached.

Don't be incredulous about the many diseases named to be cured by only one thing—but reflect that the few, but positive properties which the Dalley Salve alone contains, [illegible] one to four—can reach not alone the [illegible] diseases, but many more not enumerated.

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Nov. 22, '55–6m.

J. H. Thompson's Pomade Optime and Liquid Hair Dye.—J. H. Thompson, author of "Anatomy of the Skin," "Diseases of the Hair and Skin," &c., begs to call the attention of the American people to the above celebrated articles for the toilet.

THE POMADE OPTIME

is an entirely new preparation for the Hair. It contains no one article used by any other manufacturer of any compound for the hair. It contains no coloring matter or essential oils. Its splendid perfume is obtained by digesting the flowers of the Rose, Verbena, and Heliotrope, with the article of which the Pomade is composed. By this process it will retain its magnificent scent any length of time in any climate. As an article of utility it has no rival. It will keep the skin entirely free from any unhealthy accumulation or dandruff. It excites the oily and coloring secretions of the hair, and will restore and keep them in a healthy condition—thus preventing their falling off or turning prematurely grey. Ladies using this Pomade require to use no beautifying preserver; for, if the hair is thoroughly cleansed before applying the Pomade, the head will not soil the most delicate fabric with which it may come in contact.

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"Mr. J. H. Thompson—Dear Sir: Please forward me six jars of Pomade Optime, same as you last sent. Let it be packed for traveling. I find my hair has much improved since using your preparation, and has entirely ceased falling out. If the present improvement continues, I shall pronounce your Pomade one of the most valuable and delightful cosmetiques for the hair, and not only continue to use it myself, but recommend it to my friends.

"I am, dear sir, yours truly,
"LOUISA PYNE."

CERTIFICATE OF DR. CHILTON.

"Being acquainted with the composition of the "Pomade Optime," manufactured by Mr. J. H. Thompson, I can state that the article is well calculated to improve the growth and appearance of the hair.

JAMES R. CHILTON, M.D., Chemist.
New York, June 5th, 1854."

Price, 25 cents, 50 cents, and $1.00 per bottle; family jars $2.00.

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This Dye is, without any exception, the best ever manufactured. Nothing sold in America or Europe, of any other make, will bear the least comparison with it. The proprietor publicly guarantees that it will dye red or grey hair to any shade of brown or black in one minute, and that so long as the hair remains upon the head it will not fade or change color. It differs from all other dyes in its effect upon the fibres of the hair, as, instead of making the hair harsh, it renders the most stubborn, pliant and tractable. It is beautifully scented with violet, and will not stain the skin. The following is the

CERTIFICATE OF DR. CHILTON.

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JAMES R. CHILTON, M.D., Chemist.
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Who can supply the trade at the manufacturer's prices.

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A Harmless Ague Remedy is a Public Benefaction.—See what the President of the Pharmaceutical Society of Missouri says of Rhodes' Fever and Ague Cure, or Antidote to Malaria:

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 10, 1855.

Having received the certificate of chemical analysis given by the celebrated chemist, Dr. J. R. Chilton, of New York City, in favor of Rhodes' Fever and Ague Cure, that it contained neither Quinine, Arsenic, Mercury or Strychnine, and having received numerous applications for it, I was induced to [illegible] Since then I have disposed of a large quantity, mostly to residents of this city, who have invariably been cured by it, and to whom I can refer. I am, therefore, satisfied in recommending it to be all that the proprietor represents.

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250 BBLS NEW YORK SYRUP, [illegible] E. HEMPSTEAD, 123 South Water street.

DAILY TRIBUNE

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM W. PECK, EDITOR.

Tuesday Morning, Feb. 12, 1856.

Municipal Election.

To the Hon. Francis C. Sherman:—

DEAR SIR:—The undersigned, citizens of Chicago, having been informed that certain persons in this city have organized themselves into a party favoring the principles of the notorious "Kansas-Nebraska Bill," and have nominated a candidate for Mayor to be voted for at the approaching Municipal Election in this city on that issue desire to meet that single issue, and for that purpose request the liberty of using your name as the Anti-Nebraska candidate for Mayor of the city of Chicago.

The undersigned distinctly disclaim presenting any other issue at this election, and now tender to your support, having the fullest confidence not only in your will and ability to make such a chief officer for our city as the city needs and desires, but also your soundness in the great cardinal doctrines of Freedom and Liberty.

Chicago, Feb. 5, 1856.

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Henry Smith
S S Durfee
Peter Page
John V Farwell
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Avery Upham & Co
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Edwin C Larned
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John T Edwards
A Blakie
L J Hill
Ernst Prussing
C Lipsch
Jacob Fortman
N P Iglehart
A Vane
J L James
R Ludlam
D A Colton
W H Eddy
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J M [illegible]
E P James
A J Higgins
Geo Brock
S B Pixley
B A S Chapter & Co.
J M Gordon
Joel Ellis
D D Broadway
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Cheny Reed
G R Hodges
Caleb Morgan
Thos George
A F Otto
Wm Clingman
F W Hort
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J Y Scammon
Dr F Mahla
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William Jones
Chas M Gray
E S Wadsworth
S D Taylor
Jas Long
Theo Richmond
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James E Hugunin
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J L Lyon
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Geo Landgraf
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Dr Geo Hartmann
Henry Weise
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Solomon M Wilson
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Ward, Doggett & Co
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R M House
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Rudolph Kahn
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Miller & Co
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James Peck
J H Dunham & Co
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F B Williams
A Burnham
J C Outhet
S P Warner
C G Wicker
C H Quinlan
J B Doggett
C H Brown
R S Blackwell
C L Wilson
F S Richards
C H Peirce
H H Beardsley
John Hughes
Aaron Gibbs
C Davisson
J G Smith
Henry L Wilson
J C Vaughan
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H Hock
C V Dyer
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Thomas Snell
J A Palmer
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Thos McDonald
E A Tompkins
B F Webb
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P Doherty
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Chas Klemm
Herman Kreisman
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Thos L Forrest
P Ryder Forrest
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Wm Niemeyer
Wm Sattler
A Bauer
Rudolph Schloesser
John Dennison
Chancellor L Jenks
Joseph Wilde jr
Isaac Brown
J A Hoisington
M C Eames
Jos K C Forrest
Henry L Forrest
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John H Kinzie
J D Sherman

GENTLEMEN:—Your letter, soliciting me to become a candidate for Mayor has just been placed in my hands. When the startling news first reached this city that an attempt was being made to re-open the agitation of the slavery question in this country by annulling the time honored Missouri Compromise, I promptly responded to the first call made upon the citizens of Chicago, without distinction of party, to attend a public meeting, and remonstrate against it.

Our fears publicly expressed on that occasion, of the awful consequences of disturbing what was considered a full and final adjustment of all controversies growing out of the Slavery question, have been more than verified, and every mail brings us fresh instances of outrages upon the citizens of Kansas who, like ourselves, prefer free labor to slave labor. Men are not only publicly murdered, but even tortured to death for uttering sentiments which I honestly entertain, and which I believe are entertained by the great mass of our fellow citizens.

Whilst these outrages, too numerous for recital, are being perpetrated upon a distant territory, to force upon its people an institution repugnant to both their interests and their principles, it is with great pain that I see an attempt made in this city to get them endorsed, by making an acquiescence in them a test for support at the coming municipal election.

For several years past, national politics have not entered our contests for city officers, and I regret that they have now. The present condition of our city requires the services of her best and truest men without distinction of party, and that all her offices should be filled by those thoroughly acquainted with her interests, and heartily devoted to them. But through no fault of mine, I find an endorsement of the repeal of the Missouri Compromise, and all the calamities that have grown out of it, made a test for office at the next election.

Unwilling to be proscribed for my honest and well matured convictions, I am ready to co-operate with all my fellow citizens entertaining similar views; and if it is thought that our action can be made more effectual by the use of my name as a candidate for Mayor, you are at liberty to use it.

F. C. SHERMAN.

Messrs. W. B. Ogden, Mark Skinner, J. C. Vaughan, John Wentworth, R. L. Wilson, Geo. Schneider, J. L. Scripps, and others.

Police Intelligence.

Business in the Police Courts yesterday brisked up considerably, owing probably to the warm weather, and a number of cases were disposed of.

At the house of one Richard Pomeroy, on Michigan street, North side, the Police found a grand ball in full blast on Sunday night and arrested the following:—Richard Pomeroy, R. Pomeroy, jr., Daniel Malony, John Hickock, Richard Rogers, T. Pomeroy, Daniel Murphy, Geo. Gorman, Morris Enwright, John Pomeroy and Jas. Smith. Justice Milliken fined Richard $10 and the others $2 each.

Frederick Freeze was arrested on Sunday for attempting to shoot his partner, a Mr. Hoover. Freeze snapped a gun, loaded with a double charge of powder and two large slugs, twice at Hoover. Freeze made a desperate resistance when the officers came to arrest him, as his bloody and tattered appearance in the Court abundantly testified. He was committed in default of $800 for trial at the next term of the Recorder's Court.

The baggageman, named John Collins, who was arrested on a charge of stealing baggage which had been entrusted to his charge, to convey to and from different points in the city, was examined before Justice Rucker yesterday afternoon and held to bail in the sum of $500 to answer before the Recorder's Court. A large lot of baggage was found in Collins' house, a portion of which has been identified. The proof against Collins was very strong and it is surprising that his bail should have been fixed so low, unless it was done for the purpose of enabling him to escape the clutches of the law.

A. Ingertrossen was fined $5 and F. Davis and E. L. Davis $3 each for throwing stones against a house of ill-fame on the West Side and for kicking up a row there generally.

George Ring and Frederick Helter were fined $3 each for indulging in a bit of fun in the way of a knock down and drag out.

John Patrick, John Roberts and Patrick Donahue were brought before Justice Milliken yesterday, charged with being vagrants. John Patrick was fined $6 and the others discharged.

Two respectable young men were arrested by officer Parish on a charge of having set fire to Hamilton House on last Friday night. They were examined yesterday before Justices Milliken and Rucker and released from custody, there not being a particle of evidence connecting them with the alleged arson. Parish arrested them without any legal process and he deserves to be severely censured for arresting them without even a reasonable probability of their being guilty. This is the same Parish who was discharged from the Police last Fall for maltreating a prisoner in the Watch House, and afterwards re-instated, and it is apparent has he filled the office of man quite long enough.

FOUND.—We are informed that robes of the Pastor of the Church of the Atonement, have been found and restored to their owner and that the Bible was also found where it had been hastily thrown under a store on West Madison street. These with other articles were stolen from the church a short time since. No clue has yet been obtained of the robbers.

FIREMEN'S BALL.—We learn that the members of the Garden City Hose Company intend giving a ball at the West Market Hall on St. Valentine's eve, Wednesday the 13th inst. The preparations are in progress for a most pleasant gathering and plainly give warning of a delightful evening in store for those whose good fortune it may be to attend.

J. H. THOMPSON, ESQ.—We clip the following from the Rockford *Democrat*: "The first lecture of the course before Mr. Burnham's Commercial Institute was delivered at Warner's Hall last Wednesday evening by J. Howland Thompson, Esq., of Chicago—subject, Common and Commercial Law. The lecture was practical and the subject ably handled. It seemed to us eminently calculated to awaken attention to the subject."

ARRIVAL EXTRAORDINARY OF PUGILISTS.—We are informed by one of the fancy that the celebrated pugilists Tom Hyer and Morrissey were in our city yesterday, and that a mauling match is on the tapis to come off in this neighborhood in a few days. We hope the Police will keep a close watch and promptly arrest all persons who are found engaged in this brutal business. We want no exhibitions of New York rowdyism in our city, the rows constantly occurring between the resident bullies being quite sufficient.

VESSEL SOLD.—The Brig Ontario, now lying at the dock on the South Branch, was recently sold by Mr. Robert Stewart to Peter and Christian Nelson, for $3,000. The vessel is 138 tons burthen, 12 years old, and has been employed for the last three years in the wood and lumber business, in which trade she will continue.

THE TABERNACLE.—We are requested to state that the Tabernacle Baptist Church, in the West Division, will be opened for Divine service on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of this week at 7 1-2 o'clock.

Council Proceedings.

MONDAY EVENING, Feb. 11, 1856.

Council met. Mayor in the Chair.

Present, Aldermen Long, Sexton, Hough, Allen, Church, Fletcher, Outhet, Holden, Wayman, Ellithorpe, Granger, La Rue, Ashton, Keith and McKay.

Ald. Hough asked that the rules be suspended and the reading of the minutes of proceedings of last meeting be dispensed with.

Ald. Keith objected, and the minutes were read and approved.

COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Of Dr. Kesler, asking for a remission of fine imposed upon him for not reporting cases of Small Pox under his charge. Committee on Police.

Of foreman of Engine Company No. 1, asking for diploma for J. F. Tiffany. Referred to mayor and clerk with power to issue certificate.

Of John McClain, asking for use of North Market Hall for a Fireman's Ball on the 18th instant. Granted.

Of agent of Phelps Opera Troupe for license to exhibit. Committee on licenses.

The official bond of T. O. Williams, as Constable, was presented and approved.

Of J. D. Mahony, offering to do all the city grading and filling up for 37 1-2 cents per cubic yard.

Of members of Hope Hose Company, asking for a brick house for the use of said Company. Committee on Fire and Water.

Of sundry citizens, asking that Hope Hose Company's House be located at the foot of La Salle st. Committee on Fire and Water.

Of Superintendent of Board of Public Works, giving estimate of cost of repairs for the city bridges immediately needed at $2,700.

The City Clerk was directed to advertise for one week for proposals for repairs to Lake street bridge, and the City Superintendent was directed to have the other repairs forthwith made.

Of Messrs. Stone & Boomer relative to plan for City Bridge presented by them, and asking for reconsideration of proceedings had at the last Council meeting relative to same, and proposing to furnish the Council with a proposition to build the bridge at Randolph street, and stating that they would warrant their bridge for one year.

Ald. Ellithorpe offered an order requesting Messrs. Stone & Boomer to furnish the Council, at its next meeting, with their proposition—passed.

Of sundry citizens asking for the re-numbering of South Water street from the Central Railroad Depot. The matter was referred to committee on streets and alleys, South Division, with directions to prepare an ordinance for the numbering of all streets between Twelfth street and the River.

Of sundry citizens relative to the planking of Ringgold Place, remonstrating against the same, and asking that the order for the same be rescinded, and the improvement abandoned for the present.

Pending a long rambling debate upon this subject, our reporter adjourned.

MORE NEBRASKALS IN THE FIELD.—The Nebraska camp of Douglas & Co., contains sundry and divers come-outers, it seems, who are not quite disposed to acquiesce in the action of the K. N. and Nebraska fusion convention. We notice among the lists of independent candidates in the city papers, several who were applicants for nominations from the late mixed convention held under the auspices of the *Times* and Douglas & Co. What does all this mean? Who knows "who threw that last brick-bat first?"

We clip the following from among "Candidates announcements" in one of the morning papers:

"At the request of many friends MURRY F. TULEY will run as an INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE for City Attorney at the March election."

This same Mr. TULEY was a candiate for the Nebraskal—K. N. nomination for City Treasurer, at least he was nominated in that convention by the Editor of the *Times* and balloted for, but was unsuccessful. How does it happen that Mr. TULEY flies the track. Did the *Times* editor use his name without authority?

We do not find fault with Mr. TULEY because he chooses to become an independent candidate, that is his right and besides the more the merrier, but really if that gentleman expects to be successful he should take the earliest opportunity to clear his skirts of that Nebraska—Know Nothing matter, for it is a large load of dead weight to carry in a Chicago election contest.

There is an other independent candidate out who did not get a nomination from the convention, and who says he will run until after the day of election. For his own benefit and that of the South-siders we also publish his announcement gratis. Here it is:

FOR STREET COMMISSIONER.—At the request of many Friends, the Subscriber offers himself as a Candidate for the office of Street Commissioner of the South Division, at the next Municipal Election.

JOHN EGAN.

Last year Mr. EGAN gave way for Mr. RICE, the present Nebraska-Know-Nothing candidate, and Mr. RICE was beaten. Mr. EGAN is a good man and will receive, no doubt, a large vote, but he too is in the unfortunate predicament of having the dead weight of the Nebraska convention to lug, and ought by all means to rid himself of that, if he hopes to win.

We are told by one of the chief fugilmen in that convention that there are other come-outers from Nebraskal nominations who will shortly announce their names as candidates. Come out gentlemen, it is going to be a scrub race and the d——l take the hindmost. Hurrah! for Nebraska—Know-Nothing—Harmony.

MUSICAL CONVENTION.—Our Chicago musicians will not forget that the Musical Convention announced by Messrs. Webster and Baker commences its sessions this morning at 10 o'clock, in the Lecture Room of the First Baptist Church. The convention will continue four days, holding three sessions each day.

The exercises of this Convention will be designed and adapted—not only to those who have devoted attention to the study and practice of the science, but, also those who may be beginners, and wish to acquire a good knowledge of the Elements, coupled with directions for a judicious course of practice in the cultivation and delivery of the voice.

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Mr. Baker is a pianist of celebrity and has a fine position in Eastern musical circles—both these gentlemen are residents of Buffalo and come to our city most highly recommended.

Attention is directed to their card under the head of amusements on third page.

"To Buy his Mother and two Brothers"

A MAN—a man nearly as white as you are, Sir,—a man on whom God has stamped his image—who has the feelings, the hopes, and the sorrows that are common to the human race—WANTS TO BUY HIS MOTHER, who is a woman like you, Madam—with a mother's affections and a mother's pride—a mother now in Slavery! He wants to buy his mother and two brothers, and for that purpose he has engaged a friend more gifted than himself to speak in Metropolitan Hall on Saturday (this) evening, on the subject of "*Slavery and its Aspects in 1856.*" The proceeds of lecture to be applied, in this Christian land, to the purchase of those three items of flesh and blood. We are going to hear what Mr. H. F. Douglass can say on a theme like this, and would like to see you, Sir, and your Madam there. We hope to get matter for pious Sunday thoughts. Remember, the man *wants to buy his mother!*

THE LECTURE LAST NIGHT.—A fine audience assembled at the Metropolitan Hall last night to listen to the lecture upon the Northern American Continent, by JOHN L. SCRIPPS, Esq., of the *Democratic Press*, and were we are sure, well paid for going. His subject was admirably handled and the great North of America, its varied and interesting characteristics boldly and accurately delineated, and many new and interesting facts were brought to the knowledge of the audience. Of the future of this Northern Continent the lecturer spoke in glowing and eloquent terms, and better than all—hopefully. We regret that we are unable to present our readers with a complete sketch of this lecture, for we are certain they would thank us for it, but want of space precludes that. It is to be hoped that Mr. Scripps will publish his lecture entire, giving the reading public an opportunity to read a most instructive and interesting production.

AMPHITHEATRE.—Mr. Levi J. North presents to amusement seekers an entire new bill for this evening and the coming week. New equestrian acts, new feats in tumbling, new dances, new gymnastic feats, and the first appearance of Prof. Orrin and his accomplished sons, George and Edward. Mr. North will exhibit for the first time his celebrated trick-pony Harry Stebbins—the whole to conclude with the "four lovers."

MCNALLY.—McNally, Theatre Building, Dearborn street, sends us Frank Leslie's Illustrated newspaper—a fine specimen.

BUSINESS NOTICES

A new Real Estate office has been opened in this city by Messrs. Staples & Sims, at No. 57 La Salle street. Their references are of the first respectability. See their card.

VALENTINES, VALENTINES—At McNally & Co.'s 75 Dearborn street, opposite the Post Office. An Express Post, for delivery, will leave their Depot, every half hour. So that all Valentines will be sure to reach their destination, and be like their newspapers up to time.

REAL ESTATE AGENT AT LYONS, IOWA.—Mr. S. E. Locke has removed to Lyons, Iowa, at the terminus of the Dixon Air Line Railroad, where he has opened a Real Estate office for the purchase and sale of farms, town lots, and unimproved lands. We can commend him to capitalists and others as a man of fine business qualifications and probity of character. See his card in another column.

NEW INVENTION.—We would call attention to the Advertisement of G. B. Johnson, No. 204 Lake-st. And in regard to the subject of his advertisement, we cannot do better than to copy what a city paper says of the matter, viz: "Among the many valuable inventions of the day, is a new and much improved Portable Tenoning Machine, which is for sale by Giles B. Johnson, No. 204 Lake street, Chicago. This machine is very simple in its construction, and easy in its operation. It is easy kept in order, and saves the trouble of squaring round the stuff. For sash, it makes the tenon and copes it at the same time. We consider it one of the greatest labor saving machines of the age. It is worked by foot and one man, and can accomplish as much work with it as twelve can by hand. We would call the especial attention of mechanics to an examination of this Improved Patent Machine, feeling confident they are far better machines (of the kind) than ever before offered to the public. For Carpenters and Joiners they are particularly adapted, and for Sash, Door and Blind Manufacturers and Cabinet makers, they are of great convenience. Mr. Johnson, we understand, will dispose of County Rights on the most liberal terms.

A STORE TO RENT.—A GOOD STORE. [illegible] Apply at the office of the Path Finder, 150 Lake street.

2 BILLIARD TABLES (SECOND HAND), for sale by ROBT L. FABIAN, 22 River street.

Commercial Affairs.

Monday Evening, Feb. 11, 1856.

CHICAGO WHOLESALE MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE CHICAGO DAILY TRIBUNE, Monday Evening, Feb. 11, 1856.

Market still dull. Holders of Dressed Hogs are easier, and small lots have been sold at [illegible]. Corn up to 40c and sales at that figure.

We note prices as follows:

FLOUR.—Country brands of best quality range from $7,00 [illegible] at wholesale. Buckwheat Flour [illegible]. Rye Flour [illegible] ℔ bbl.

WHEAT.—Spring to store $1,20; do to mill $1,20@1,25; red winter $1,35@1,45; white $1,50@1,60.

CORN.—Sales at 40c ℔ bu.

OATS.—30c to livery stables; 28c to store.

BARLEY.—Ranges from $1@1,20.

DRESSED HOGS.—$5,00@5,37 for light and heavy.

MESS PORK.—Held at $14,50@$15 ℔ bbl. No demand.

BEEF.—Dressed, in the quarter, 4c for fore quarters and 5c ℔ ℔ for hind quarters.

MUTTON.—3@4c ℔ ℔ in carcass; 4½c at retail.

LARD.—Firm at 10½c in kegs and bbls; 12½c for nice in jars or firkins.

SEEDS.—Timothy is in good demand at $2,25@2,40 ℔ bu.—By small quantity dealers ask higher. Clover $8,00@8,75.

BUTTER.—18@20c for firkin; 20@22c for roll. In jars, at retail, 25c.

CUT MEATS.—City sugar cured Hams 11c ℔ ℔; shoulders 9c.

CHICKENS.—[illegible]

TURKEYS.—13@14c ℔ ℔.

CHEESE.—Country 8@9c; Western Reserve 11@12c; Hamburg 13@13c.

SUGARS.—New Orleans common to fair 8@8½c; prime to choice 9½@10c; clarified and coffee grades in bbls 9½@10½c; crushed, pulverized and granulated 10½@11c.

MOLASSES—Cuba 43@45c; Plantation 48@50c; Sugar House 50c; Syrups N. Y., 50@60c.

COFFEE—Rio 11½@12½c; O. G. Java firm at 16@17c; Mocha 16½@17½c.

WHITE FISH—Inspected No. 1 half bbls selling at $5,50; No. 2 half bbls $5,25. No. 3 $4,50. Trout—halves No. 1 $5,25; No. 2 $4,50.

HERRING.—Pickled $7,00@7,50 ℔ bbl; smoked ℔ box 65@70c for scaled, and 60@65c for No. 1.

MACKEREL.—No. 1 $23; No. 2 $12,00@15,00; No. 3 $7,00@9,00; half bbls $1 more than half these prices.

CODFISH.—Dried 5@5½c ℔ lb.

CIDER.—From dealers by single barrel, $5@$6.

COAL.—Retail prices: Illinois $5,00@5,50; Chippewa $6,50; Diamond $5,00@5,50; Blossburg $10,00; Erie $7,50@8,00; Schuylkill, large egg, small egg and grate, $10; Lehigh $12,50.

WOOD.—Retail prices: Oak $5,00@6,50; Beech and Maple $7@$8; Hickory $9,00@$10. $1 additional for sawed and delivered.

BEANS.—$1,75@2,00 ℔ bu for white.

HAY.—Prairie is selling in Market street at $7@$8 ℔ ton. Timothy $11@$12 ℔ ton.

HIGHWINES.—24@25c ℔ gallon.

WHISKEY.—29@30c.

TALLOW.—11c ℔ ℔.

SALT.—Fine $2,37 ℔ bbl; coarse $2,50 ℔ package of 280 lbs; 15c for sacks of 14 lbs.

OILS, ETC.—Linseed, pure, $1,07@1,10 ℔ gal. by bbl.; do boiled, $1,17@1,20; Lard, winter, $1,00; Elephant, winter, $1,10; Whale, winter, $1,05. Burning Fluid 75c. Alcohol, 95 proof, 75c; do 80 proof, 70c.

HIDES.—Green 6c; Green salted 7c; Dry Flint 12½@14c; Dry salt 9@10c; Calf dry 12@14c; Calf skins 10c; Kip dry 12½@13½c, according to quality; Kip green 10c, for 12 lb hides, and 5c ℔ ℔ for overweight; Sheep Skins 75@80c; common Pelts 25@50c.

New York Market—Feb. 11.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

FLOUR—Flour advanced 6c and 1s. Demand fair for export and home consumption. Sales 7,000 bbls. at $7 50@7 62 for common to good state; $7 75@8 for extra do; $7 55 for mixed to good Michigan; $7 87@8 25 for good low grades extra western; $7 87@10 50 for Genesee, closing quiet and firm. 400 bbls Canadian sold at $7 87@10, for common superfine to choice extra.

GRAIN—Wheat firmer with rather more inquiry. Sales 4000 bush at $2,10 for prime white Canadian and Detroit, and $2,17½ for red Tennessee. Rye steady, at $1,25@1,30. Corn market unsettled, demand limited; sales 10,000 bush at 80c to 84c for new mixed yellow and white Jersey, and southern; Ohio mixed nominal at 82 to 84c. Oats plenty and dull at 44c to 46c for state, and 40 to 48c for western.

WHISKEY—lower; sales 150 bbls Ohio and Prison at 31c.

PROVISIONS—Pork dull and lower; sales 350 bbls at $15, 14 to $16 for western, and $13,94 to $14 for prime. Beef dull and prices unchanged; sales 150 bbls. Beef Hams and prime mess beef quiet and prices nominally the same. Cut meats steady; sales 150 bbls at 7½ to 7¾c for shoulders. Lard lower; sales 300 bbls at 10 to 10½c, and 30 boxes clear long middles sold at 10c. 2000 Dressed Hogs to arrive in all this month at 7½c. Butter steady at 17 to 24 for Ohio, and 23 to 27c for State. Cheese in moderate demand at 9 to 11c.

New York Stock Market—Feb. 11.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

Stocks generally firm and buoyant. Money and Exchange unchanged. I. C. Bonds 88¼; Canton Co. 24, C. & T. 79¼, G. & C. 112, I. C. R. R. 99, M. S. & N. I. 96, Hudson R. R. 32¾, Reading 89¾, Erie 56¾, Cumberland Co. 26⅝.

Hogs.

QUINCY.—A lot of thirty-seven heavy hogs sold yesterday for $5 cash. Good hogs would to-day readily command $4 75. We are informed by one buyer that heavy hogs would today bring $5.—[Republican, 7th.

BURLINGTON, IOWA.—A good many hogs are still arriving and the slaughter houses are yet in full blast. Messrs. Schenck & Denise have their pens all full and 2,000 yet to arrive. Those now arriving are in fine condition and of good size.—[Hawkeye, 8th.

BOARD OF TRADE ALBANY.—The following persons have been elected officers for the ensuing year:

President—C. T. Smyth.
1st Vice President—B. C. Brainard.
2d do —T. W. Griffin.
Secretary—O. L. Wing.
Treasurer—S. G. Payn.

New York Dry Goods Market.

The New York Dry Goods business for the month of January, has amounted in the aggregate to more than twice that of last year for the corresponding period. A few of the leading importers having increased their sales in a much larger proportion. Nearly every description of foreign merchandise commands a remunerative profit. Goods, as a general thing, are abundant in all quarters, although a few leading styles, with some houses, are already scarce. There is no fear, however, but that the supply will be ample for the wants of the trade. The last auction sale of printed lawns has somewhat depressed the market for that description of dress fabrics. Buyers appear indisposed to make extensive purchases at present, preferring to wait until there is more activity in the jobbing trade. The continuation of cold weather at the North and West has prevented extensive shipments of goods in these directions.

FORCE OF CIRCUMSTANCES.—The system of Semi-Annual Closing out Sales, with the Subscriber, is a matter of necessity, the limited capacity of his Sales Room rendering it impossible to carry over heavy winter goods.—The extent of his business requires that he should commence manufacturing Spring Stock, at the earliest date practicable, and in order to make room for it, on and immediately after the 1st proximo, he now offers the balance of his FINE HEAVY SURTOUTS, OVER COATS, TALMAS, HEAVY BUSINESS COATS, and WINTER VESTS, AT PRIME NEW YORK COST.

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A-BAN-DON, v. a. To give up; to quit; to forsake; to [illegible] to resign; to relinquish; to desert; to leave; [illegible] to abdicate; to surrender; to forego.

SYN.—Bad parents ABANDON their children; men ABANDON the unfortunate objects of their guilty passions; men are ABANDONED by their friends; they ABANDON themselves to unlawful pleasures.—A mariner ABANDONS his vessel and cargo in a storm; we ABANDON our houses and property to an invading army; we DESERT a post or station; LEAVE the country; FORSAKE companions; RELINQUISH claims; QUIT business; RESIGN an office; RENOUNCE a profession, or the world; ABDICATE a throne; SURRENDER a town; SURRENDER what we have in trust; we ABANDON a measure or an enterprise; FOREGO a claim or a pleasure.

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NOTICE.—The undersigned, as agents of E. I. TINKHAM & Co.'s BANK, McLeansboro', will redeem its notes at the current rates, for exchange.

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NOTICE.—THE HAMILTON COUNTY BANK has this day appointed Messrs. GWYNNE, DAY & CO., of Chicago Agents for the redemption of its notes, at the current rate of exchange.

A. G. CLOUD, Cashier.
McLeansboro, Oct. 1, 1855.

NOTICE.—THE BANK OF SOUTHERN ILLINOIS has this day appointed Messrs. GWYNNE, DAY & Co., of Chicago, Agents for the redemption of its notes, at the current rate of exchange.

WM. L. JOINER, Cashier.
Bolton, Oct. 6, 1855.

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Announcements.

FOR CITY ATTORNEY.—At the request of many friends, MURRAY F. TULEY will run as an Independent Candidate, at the March election, for City Attorney.

FOR POLICE MAGISTRATE.—At the solicitation of many friends, the subscriber is induced to offer himself as a candidate for Police Magistrate at the ensuing Municipal Election, and solicits the suffrage of his fellow citizens.

J. A. HOISINGTON.

CITY ATTORNEY.—JOHN A. THOMPSON, City Attorney, will be a candidate for re-election at the ensuing Municipal election.

FOR CITY MARSHALL.—W. S. TENBROECK announces himself as a candidate for the office of City Marshall, at the ensuing Municipal Election.

TO THE CITIZENS OF CHICAGO.—MR. GEORGE GLASSNER will be a Candidate for Mayor, at the ensuing Spring Election, subject to the will of the people.

FOR STREET COMMISSIONER.—At the request of Many Friends, the Subscriber offers himself as a Candidate for the office of Street Commissioner of the South Division, at the next Municipal Election.

JOHN EGAN

FOR CONSTABLE.—L. G. Hager will be a Candidate for the office of Constable Second Ward, at the ensuing Municipal Election.

FOR STREET COMMISSIONER, S. D.—D. C. HAWLEY, is a candidate for the office of Street Commissioner for the South Division, at the ensuing city election; and asks the support of all those who think experience has qualified him for that office.

CITY ATTORNEY.—We are authorised to state, that L. F. BINGHAM, of Ward 3, is named as the People's Republican Candidate for City Attorney, at the ensuing Municipal Election.

FOR CITY MARSHAL.—Capt. J. W. CONNETT is a candidate for the office of City Marshal, at the ensuing Municipal Election.

WILLIAM B. H. GRAY is a Candidate for City Marshal, at the ensuing Municipal Election.

FOR CITY MARSHAL.—S. P. Putnam is a Candidate for the office of City Marshal, at the ensuing Municipal Election.

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MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.
CHICAGO, January 29, 1856.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A Meeting of the Stockholders of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad Company, will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 36 Michigan Avenue, Chicago, on the fourteenth day of February, 1856, at 3 o'clock P.M., for the election of Directors for the ensuing year.

AMOS T. HALL, Secretary.

SUGARS—100 HHDS. NEW ORLEANS SUGAR. 100 bbls. Refined and Clarified &c., for sale by WILLIAMS, THOMPSON & CO., 22 South Water st.

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" " Sub lot 7, lot 5, block 41, O. T.
Cor W. Adams and Canal, N. 32 ft, lot 3, block 51.
Market street S ½, lot 6, block 82, S.S.
Monroe " Lot 1, block 93, S.S.
Water Lot 3, block 93, S.S.
Huron street, 5 lots Wolcott's Addition.
2 Water Lots on North Branch, near Chicago Avenue.
20 Lots on North Chicago Avenue, near the River.
Water Lots, 30 and 31, Kinzie's Addition.
Block 16, Bushnell's Addition.
Lake street, Lot 6, block 20.
" " Lot 22, block 8, Ft. D. Add.
State " Lots 30 and 31, block 9, Ft. D. Add.
Clark " 7 Lots in block 116, S.S.
Jackson " Lot 16, block 98, S.S.
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Lasalle street, 24 feet near Madison.
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5 ACRES FOR SALE.—EAST ½ OF BLOCK (9), Canal Trustees' Sub. (8) of Sec. (30) T. (40).

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FOR SALE, 5 ACRES, LOT (20), S. E. ¼ Sec. (21), T. (40), R. (14).
20 Acres Block (20), Sec. (33), T. (39), R. (14).
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[illegible], just South of Mrs. Clarke's Addition, at a reasonable price, on 6 years time, if desired.

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[illegible]

L. C. PAINE FREER, Master in Chancery.

CIRCUIT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—Northern District of Illinois. To July Term, A.D. 1856.

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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO [illegible]

[illegible]

WM. H. BRADLEY, Clerk.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County, City of Chicago, ss. Recorder's Court of the City of Chicago.

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AFFIDAVIT OF THE NON-RESIDENCE OF [illegible]

[illegible]

PHILIP A. HOYNE, Clerk.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Northern District of Illinois. In Circuit Court of the United States, for said Northern District to July Term, A.D. 1856.

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WM. H. BRADLEY, Clerk.

STATE OF ILLINOIS Cook County ss. Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, 1856.

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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN [illegible]

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L. D. HOARD, Clerk.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County, ss. Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, 1856.

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ESTATE OF EPHRAIM C. STOWELL, DECEASED.—[illegible]

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County, ss. Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, A.D. 1856.

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